

"Lots of Happiness" Carl M. Reppert
Homer C. Wildermuth "39"

Good Luck to you Leon D. Correll - Nickie

Best Regards To A Future — Mrs R. Seese

Just a nut from C.C.C. — Joyce Rentschler

Remember them
Remember the e

Put them together and remember me. Armistyne
Correll



The Pinnacle

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The Class of
Nineteen Hundred Forty-six
of Hamburg High School

Hamburg, Pennsylvania

Foreword

FALSE LEADERS and false pride are the seeds of disaster. How true and sincere these words are during the present time, when the whole world is faced with the problem of building a new tomorrow. Faces are calm in the chaos of today and eager for the promise of tomorrow. We must not fail those who gave their all so that we might live and prosper in life yet to come.

All of us will rise to the challenge, but we know many of us will not achieve the goal. Yes, there are tears; there is suffering; but with the blood of our armies and the pain of our hearts, we have said that all men are free—all men—and we must not forget it. We must ever strive to meet the challenge before us.

Tomorrow, may God grant us that the very words, war, strife, and suffering, are out of use. Tomorrow, may the words, liberty, justice, equality, and fraternity, be the guiding light to a fuller and better life.

Lewis W. Epler Custodian
1926 to 1946.

Norman A. Wengert "Custodian"

Dedication



BURNETTE WARREN SCHOLL
1890-1931

TO A MAN whose unswerving aim in life was to serve humanity, whose great ability and breadth of vision had always been placed at the command of his fellowmen, we, in a spirit of true respect for the principles in which he believed, gratefully dedicate this book to Burnette Warren Scholl.

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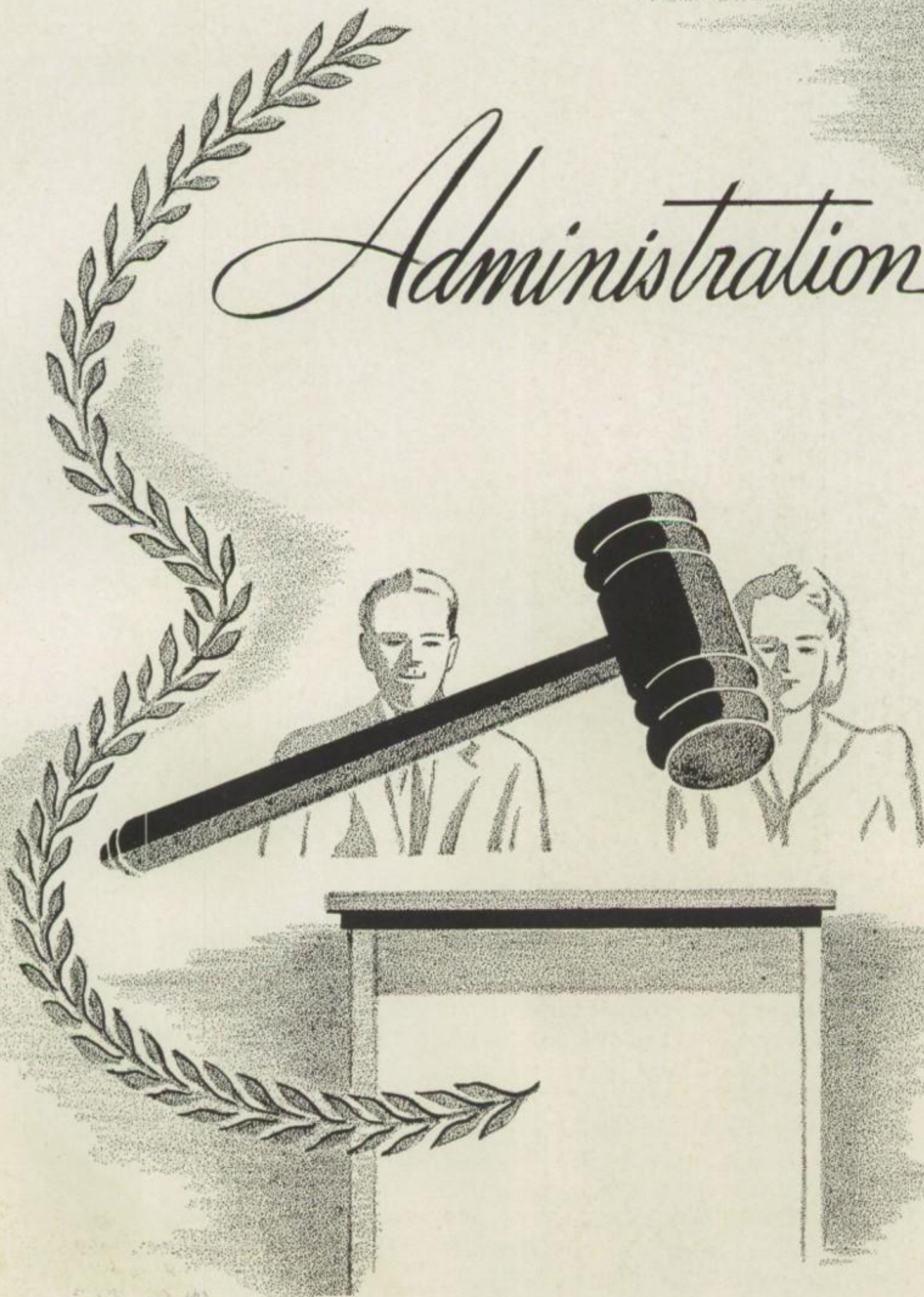
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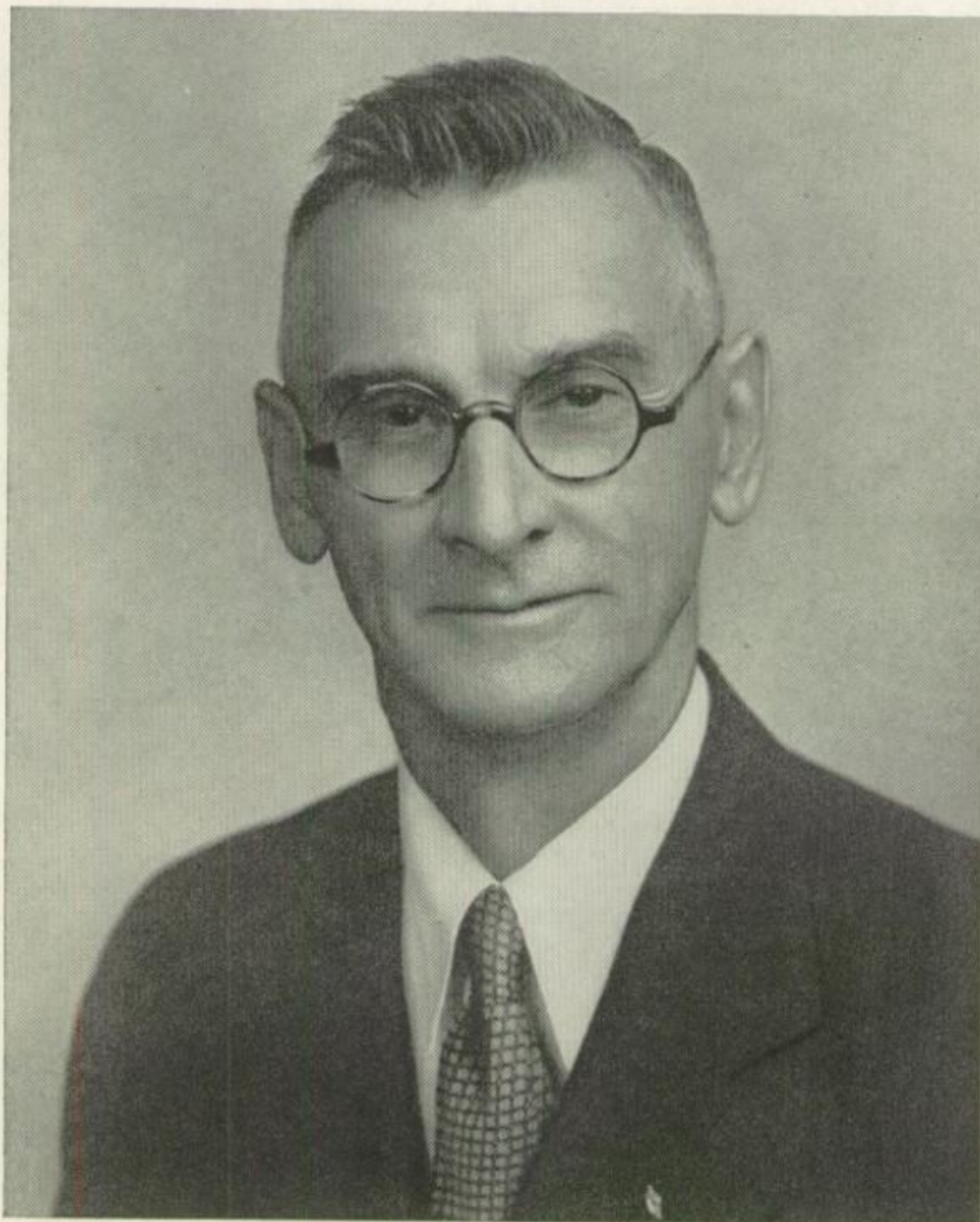


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Administration



County Superintendent

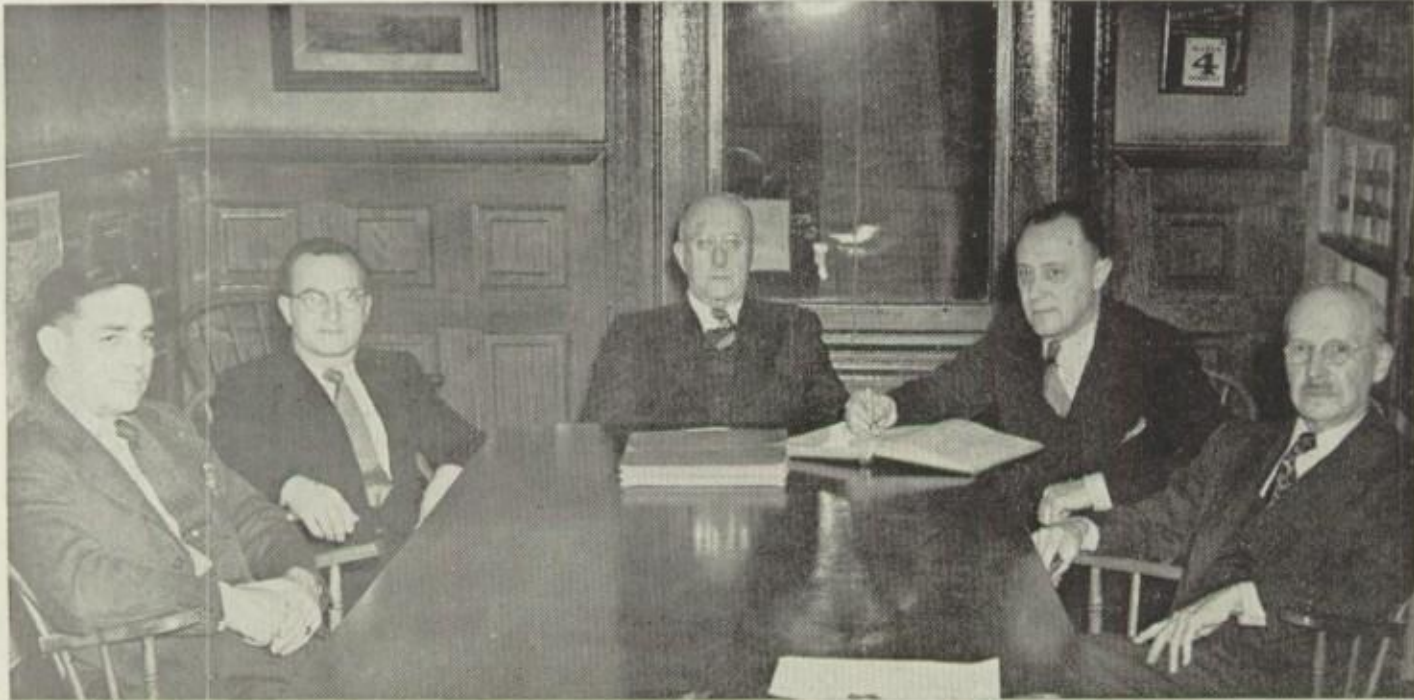


ALVIN F. KEMP

IT WAS with deep regret that we learned of the retirement of Mr. Kemp from active educational duties—a regret arising from our realization that a competent pilot has relinquished the helm. For two decades the schools of Berks County have looked to him confidently for guidance and direction in their educational policies and problems. Nor have they looked in vain. In his own inimitable way, Mr. Kemp has shouldered his responsibilities with wisdom, sagacity, foresight and a common sense vitalized by an unfailing optimism and a sense of humor.

We, the Class of 1946, sincerely hope that the days ahead will be joyous and happy ones for Mr. Kemp and that pleasant reminiscences may while away the tedious hours. We are confident he will have (as Shakespeare says) “. . . that which should accompany old age, As honor, love, obedience, troops of friends.”

School Board



Left to Right: Paul Tobias, William Kessler, Adam Hahn, Benjamin Wagner, and Thomas Sanger.

A CLOSE investigation of any well established and smoothly run group, whether educational, social, or political, invariably reveals a competent executive force in control. Every organization must of necessity bear the mark of those who mold its policies. Efficient functioning can indicate nothing but wide and enlightened direction. In this respect we hold ourselves to be eminently fortunate. To the five men who compose the staff of school directors we owe the stamp of a well run school.

The duties confronting the members of the Hamburg School Board are perplexing and multifarious. At their monthly meetings held in the conference room of the Public Library they ponder and act upon such problems as the appointment of census enumerators, the filling of vacancies created by resignations among the faculty, and the proper disposal of school funds. Quietly and inconspicuously, these men work in the background, unseen but not forgotten. Every pencil and every tablet that we use is evidence of their provision for our needs.

Once every term several school directors journey up this hill to inspect the school, visit every classroom, and see the educative process in action.

As those cherished diplomas are placed in our eager hands, let us remember our debt of gratitude to these men who have helped to make our graduation possible.

Supervising Principal



John N. Land

HIGHLY ENDOWED with those qualities of mind and spirit which develop character and raise an individual to a high plane among his fellow-men, John N. Land, as supervising principal of schools in Hamburg, takes an important part in the educational life of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Land graduated from Franklin and Marshall in 1907 with an A.B. degree. During the summer of 1909 he attended Cornell University. He went to the University of Chicago in 1913, and in the summers from 1930 to 1935 he attended the University of Pennsylvania, where he received his A.M.

Before becoming supervising principal in Hamburg, he was principal of Public Schools in Alexander and Wyomissing, Pennsylvania.

Mr. Land belongs to several fraternal orders, among them the American Association of School Administrators, the Pennsylvania Historical Society, the Pennsylvania Genealogical Society, the Phi Delta Kappa, the Chi Phi, and the Masons. He also holds a life membership in the National Education Association.

To The Graduating Class Of 1946

HAMBURG HIGH SCHOOL has done what it could for you.

It has attempted to supply you with the tools of learning and some skill in using them. It has tried to give you an appreciation of the true, the beautiful, and the good. It has set up standards of manners and morals, suitable for a civilized society. It has furnished the stage for an intellectual adventure,—the only one, alas!, that many of the class will ever experience.

Now you are leaving us and we look to the future in fear and anxiety. Will many members of this class, as so many have before, succumb almost immediately to the tremendous pressure of contemporary paganism and materialism? Will a few short years change the fresh hopefulness of youth to the cynical skepticism of maturity?

We know what happens to many of our graduates. Will the same thing happen to some of you?

We look at your pleasant, happy faces aligned in joyous phalanx in the body of this book. Will you all be honest and virtuous men and women, and will that honesty and virtue in part be due to the fact that you attended Hamburg High School?

We wish that our experience could give us a more hopeful answer. But this we do know,—that some of you will be an honor and a glory to the community in which you will live and to the school that helped to train you. At present we can hope the best for each one of you, and with this last desperate hope we greet you at this Commencement time.

Faculty

THE CLASS of 1946 has been exceedingly fortunate in having a faculty so well qualified to fulfill its undertakings.

To you, the faculty of Hamburg High School, we extend our utmost thanks and appreciation for the technical knowledge you have imparted to us; along with the guidance in the practice of reasoning and self-control and a sense of universal obligation to the community and to our country to be discharged with service, gratitude and love.

We are about to go forth taking our place in a world of opportunity. Some day, thanks to your patience and untiring efforts, members of this class will bring back to the portals of Hamburg High School recognition of success and a job well done.

*Good luck, in
senior
Vera Bartholomew*



Mrs. Kenneth Adams, B.S.
East Stroudsburg S. T. C.
Health Education

Kathryn E. Adams



Miss Vera Bartholomew,
B.S.
Cedar Crest College
Commercial Department



Mr. Arlan Bayer, B.S.
Kutztown and East
Stroudsburg S. T. C.
Health Education

Arlan Bayer



Mr. Joseph Beha, B.S.
East Stroudsburg S. T. C.
Social Studies

Joseph A Beha



Miss Evelyn Dohnbach,
A.B.
Ursinus College
English

Evelyn Dohnbach



Mr. John Ebling, B.S.
Kutztown S. T. C.
Social Studies

John Ebling



Miss Delia Edel, B.S.
Bucknell College
Commercial

Delia Edel



Mr. Stanley Fortney, B.S.
Millersville S. T. C.
Industrial Arts Department

Stanley Fortney



Mrs. Roy Hein, B.S.
Bloomsburg S. T. C.
Commercial Department

Good Luck Mrs. Roy Hein



Miss Lois Kline, A.B.
Cedar Crest College
English

Good Luck Mrs. Kline

Lois M. Kline



Miss Annette Mercurio,
A.B., A.M.
Dickinson and
Penn State Colleges
Foreign Languages

Annette Mercurio



Miss Alta Newcomer, B.S.
West Chester S. T. C.
Music



Mrs. Gladys Rhoads, B.S.
Kutztown S. T. C.
Library Science



Mr. A. Mark Schwarz, B.S.
New York University
Music Department

Gladys Rhoads *Mark Schwarz*



Mrs. Mary Sinclair, A.B.
Albright College
Social Studies

Mary Sinclair



Miss Lucille Smith, B.S.
Penn State College
Home Economics

Lucille Smith



Mr. Victor Transue,
B.S., M.S.
East Stroudsburg S. T. C.
Penn State College
Science Department

Victor Transue



Mr. Earl Wagner, B.S., M.S.
Penn State College
Science and Mathematics

Earl S. Wagner



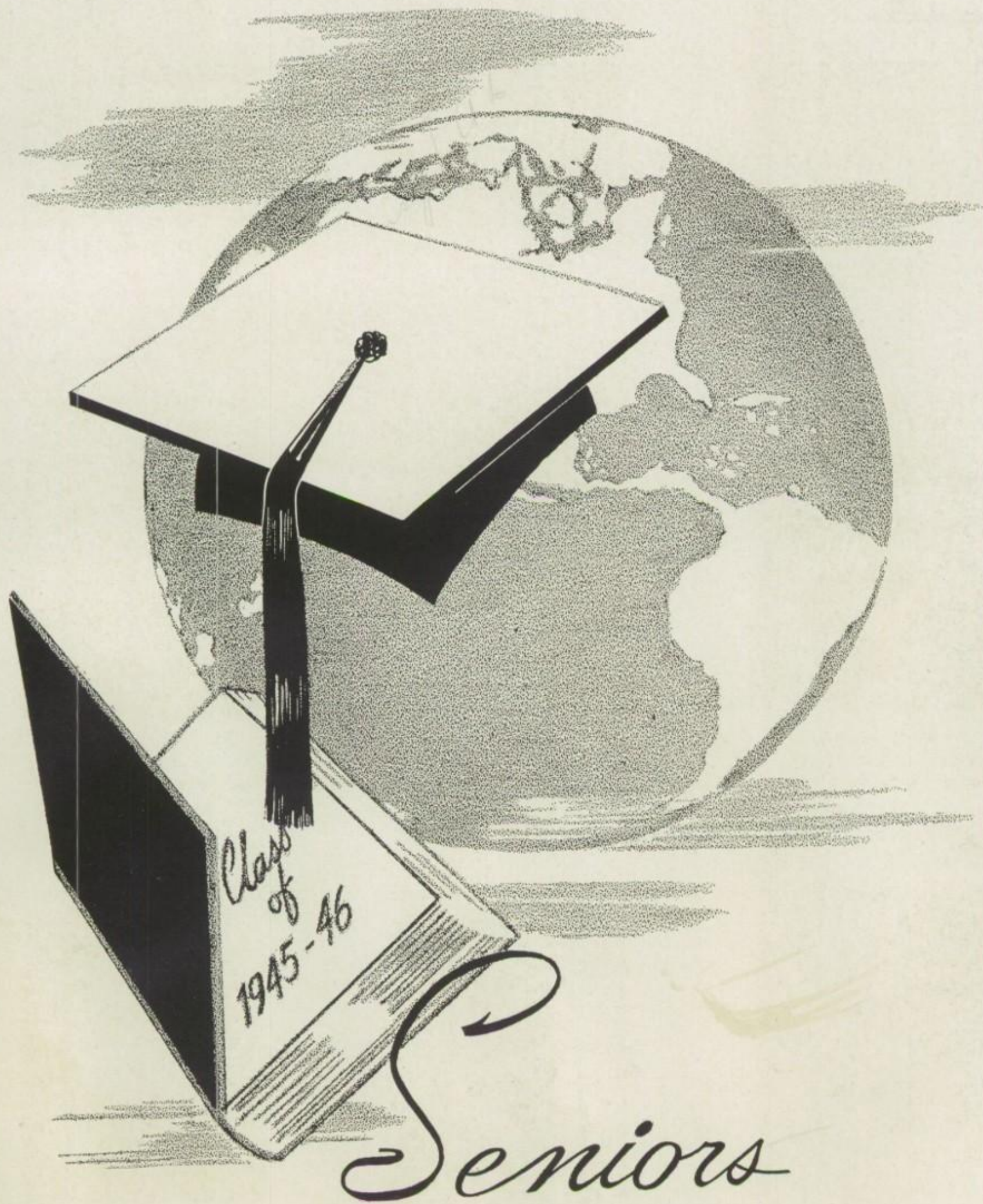
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F. & M. College
Mathematics

Mahlon Weber
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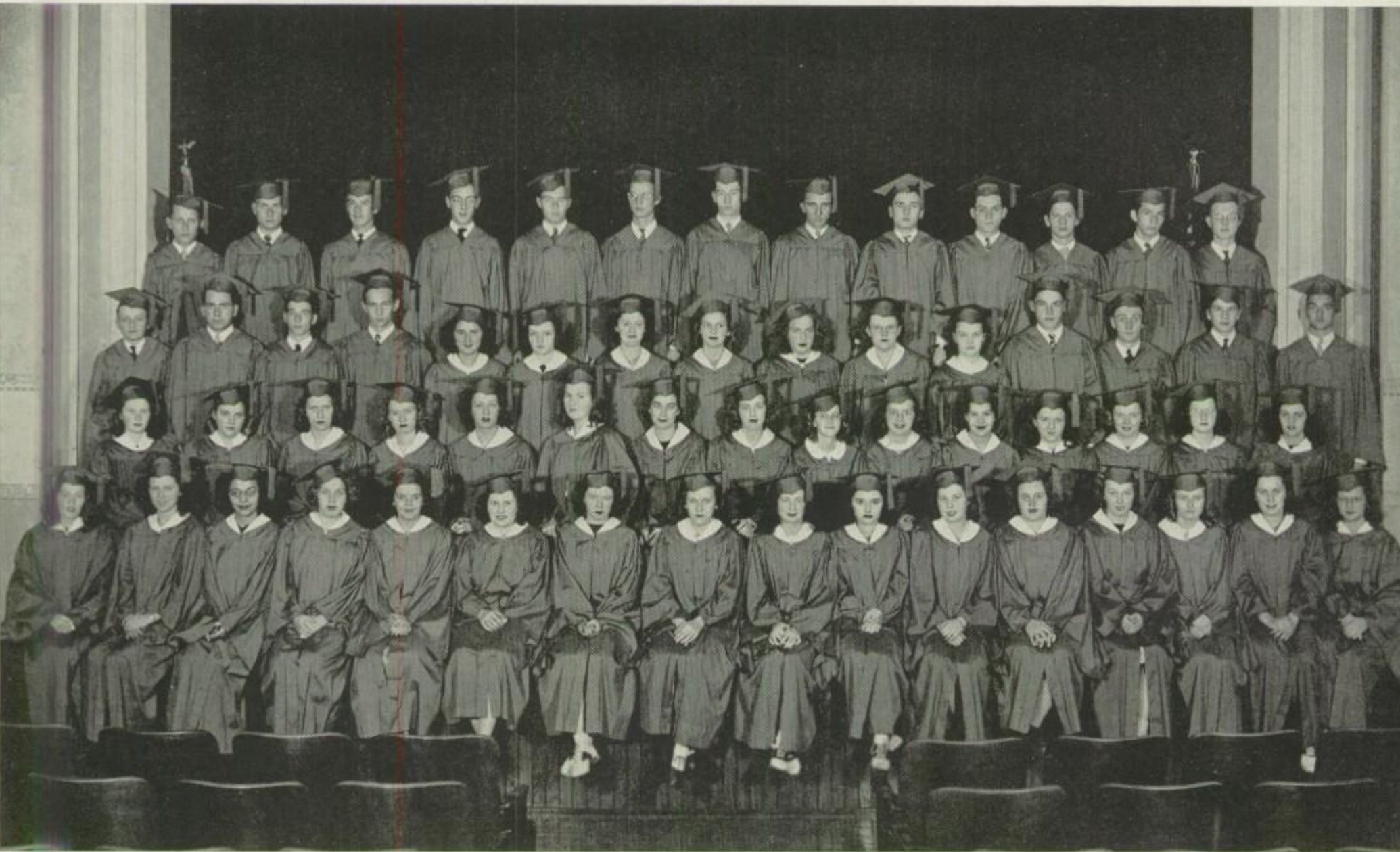


Mrs. Marvin Wengert
Secretary

Marvin Wengert



Class of 1946



Left to Right, First Row: Charlotte Huntsberger, Pearl Yoder, Phyllis Kistler, Doris Gruber, Emily Cleaver, Betty Bowers, Charmaine Landis, Elizabeth Kemp, Dolores Fink, Elsie Ferri, Anna Balthaser, Dora Schappell, Elizabeth Kershner, Fern Adam, Grace Smith, and Dolores Henne. Second Row: Doris Anthony, Margaret Baver, Ruth Stoudt, Dorothy Cohick, Ruth Bailey, Selena Beltz, Irene Miller, Sarah Davenport, Patricia Shollenberger, Corrine Berger, Betty Lou Hardinger, Virginia Schaeffer, Betty Hepler, Irene Hendricks, and Jeannine Strausser. Third Row: Paul Kershner, Gerald Cartwright, Roy Read, Robert Rollman, Anna Wessner, Sara Keller, Shirley Sterner, Catherine Budden, Mary Jane Steely, Anna Adams, Shirley Dissinger, Charles Stoudt, John Rightmyer, Henry Huntzinger, and Charles Moyer. Fourth Row: Myron Hartman, Robert Shearer, George Frederick, William Seidel, Clarence Burkey, Gerold Schiebler, Lee Herber, Robert Krick, Garland Bear, Donald Reppert, Robert Berger, Richard Yoder, and Howard Altenderfer.

Senior Executive Committee



Front Row, left to right: Betty Hepler, William Seidel, Gerold Schiebler, and Patricia Shollenberger. Second Row: Corrine Berger, Clarence Burkey, Margaret Bayer, and Dolores Henne.

THE SENIOR YEAR is indeed the busiest in your entire school life. The committee had the very able support of certain members of the class who helped put on a successful Senior Hallowe'en Party. Other things planned and carried out included a benefit basketball game and the Senior Prom, where lads and lassies tripped the light fantastic. We owe much to our officers who, through your choice, led our class.

Helping the Class of 1946 hurdle obstacles, was a very able executive committee under the leadership of President Gerold Schiebler. Betty Hepler served as secretary and Patricia Shollenberger as treasurer. The remainder of the committee was composed of Dolores Henne, Corrine Berger, Margaret Bayer, Clarence Burkey and Robert Rollman.

The importance of class officers cannot be over-emphasized. They are the chosen few who guide you through various matters and endless activities. They are your link between the faculty and principal. Good officers work to promote the spirit of good will and to accomplish the goals for which they were elected.

Executives who strive to follow a pattern such as that are well-remembered and glory and honor fall in line as a natural course.

Our officers served us well.



FERN ADAM

Notice that blonde, curly-haired slim lass that strolls around school so unassumingly? That miss is none other than Fern, who is quite a home economics student. We feel safe in stating that she is the most quiet member of the class.

Fern simply adores C. M. P. sundaes, but evidently they're not fattening where she is concerned. Miller's 5 & 10 is her locale after school hours where she works hand in hand with several other students from the high school.

Fern has no specific plans, but any undertaking will be a success for her.

December 3



"Fern"

"Anna"

July 11

ANNA ADAMS

This light-haired, blue-eyed lass is a constant talker, but the teachers never seem to catch Anna in the act.

She is forever eating and to make this past-time more enjoyable, the featured food must be hamburger steak. Also high on the list of likes come the color red, and the task, letter-writing. Anna simply loathes people who call her 'Adam' instead of 'Adams.'

When it comes to bookkeeping, Anna is really "on the ball." Best wishes, Anna, to a future in your business career.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4.



HOWARD ALTENDERFER

Here's a lad that's going to go places wherever aeronautics is concerned. "Brother" is one of those boys that can really draw airplanes and design anything that is related in some way to "The wild blue yonder!"

He peers out into this mysterious universe from behind a pair of spectacles which seem to add a certain amount of dignity to his tall, blond stature.

"Brother" is very appreciative of "Red" Frederick's jokes and may be found most of the time chuckling over one of that "carrot-top's" pranks.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y, 4.



January 14



"Brother"

"Doris"

February 9



DORIS ANTHONY

Make way for a regular traveler of the Strausstown Flyer! This auburn-haired, green-eyed miss is one of the passengers from the wilds West of Hamburg.

Doris has a wonderful career all picked out. It's nursing at the Reading Hospital. She is definitely the athletic type, and participates in every sport offered at school. Believe it or not, Doris used to be quite a tap-dancer in her younger years, and this love of dancing has hung on as is evidenced by her presence at Shartlesville every Saturday night.

Mixed Chorus, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble, 3, 4; Pinnacle Staff, 4.

*To a swell girl
Doris*



RUTH BAILEY

"That's rich!" Behind that exclamation may be found one of the most attractive girls in the class. Ruth is popular with one and all. What makes them gather 'round are those green eyes and brown hair—mighty nice combination.

Ruth is a Home Ec. student, and we bet our boots she can cook her favorite dish, macaroni and cheese, to perfection!

This miss plans to be a dental hygienist after high school is over, and with her personality and go-get-it attitude, we know she'll make it.

Intramural Sports 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus, 3.

March 6

Sincere Wishes for Ruth



"Bailey"

"Balthaser"

*Good Luck
at Homecoming*

July 11

Anna

ANNA BALTHASER

Any time, any place, you can find this miss behind a cone of ice cream. She frequently supplements her ice cream diet with spaghetti.

Anna is a whiz at any sport, but swimming is her favorite. We happen to know that she plays a mean game of basketball, too.

This girl has natural curly hair and laughing blue eyes. With that combination, who could ask for more! Anna is a commercial student, and expects to follow this line of work after graduation. Good luck to a swell person.

Track, 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader, 3; Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; G.I.A. Executive Board, 2; President of G.I.A., 4; Student Council, 2, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus, 2, 3; Home Economics Club, 2.



MARGARET BAVER

"Margy" is always seen rushing around H.H.S. collecting material and pictures for the Pinnacle, gathering notes for High Lights, or just rushing in general. She loves basketball; a sport which she pursues by playing on the town Commandoes; jitterbugging, chile con carne, drawing, talking, and Woody Herman.

For a hobby, this lass collects information on the early settlers of Pennsylvania and can talk hours on the subject. "Margy" hopes to be a commercial artist, and with her determination and fortitude, she'll attain success.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; High Lights, 2, 3, 4; Debate Team, 3; Pinnacle Staff, 4; Co-Editor of Pinnacle, 4; Girls' Basketball, 2; Girls' Track, 2, 3; National Honor Society, 4; Treasurer of National Honor Society, 4; Executive Committee, 4; Senior Class Play 4.



October 11
Sincerely
Margy Baver



"Margy"

"Gizz"

November 23



GARLAND BAER

Presenting "Gizz" Bear! This lad is definitely the "horseman" of the class. However, "Gizz" finds time for some extra-curricular activities which involve a blonde in our class.

"Gizz" is a good dancer, and rates high in popularity. After school hours, he is seen cowboying around in one of Smith's Model Dairy trucks.

Ursinus College is going to be the recipient of "Gizz" in the fall. Good luck to a "Bear" able fellow.

Intramural Basketball, 1; Hi-Y, 4; Senior Class Play, 4.



SELENA BELTZ

Many are the times that our halls echo and re-echo to the plaintive pleadings of this lass who is always asking, "Is your High Lights assignment done?" This young lady, who, incidentally has brown hair and eyes, lives just across the street from our Alma Mater.

"Bonny" confesses that her favorite foods are grape fruit and carrots. Quite a combination!

This girl can always be counted to do a favor, and this trait will be a great aid to her in her picked career, nursing.

Tri-Hi-Y, 1, 2, 3, 4; High Lights, 2, 3, 4; Assistant Editor of High Lights, 3; Varsity Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Co-Editor of High Lights, 4; Varsity Track, 2, 3, 4; Secretary of Class, 3; Athletic Association Secretary, 4; Mixed Chorus, 1, 2; Girls' Ensemble, 3, 4; Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; G.I.A. Executive Board, 2; Senior Class Play, 4.

September 18

*Success
Selena Beltz*



"Bonny"



"Butch"

February 22

CORRINE BERGER

If in a few years, you twist the dial of your radio and hear the strains of Chopin's Polonaise issuing forth, you can bet your boots it's none other than Butch, whose prime ambition is to become a concert pianist.

"Butch" is an academic student who is "on the ball" in anything she attempts from French to sports. What really makes "them" (meaning the boys) melt, are those brown eyes teamed with beautiful brown tresses. Ah me!

G.I.A. Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus, 1, 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, Executive Board, 3; Girls' Ensemble, 3, 4; Executive Committee for Senior Class, 4; Library Club, 3, 4; National Honor Society, 4; Treasurer Literary Society, 4; Girls' Varsity Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Varsity Track, 1, 2, 3, 4; Art Editor of Pinnacle, 4; Senior Class Play, 4.



*Lots of luck
to a nice junior*

ROBERT BERGER

"Turk" is one of those local drugstore cowboys who has a reserved seat in the local luncheonette. He might be found there any time that he hasn't a game to play.

Believe us, Hamburg's opponents have felt the fury of Bob's playing many a time. Plus his athletic ability, this jackson has a good head on his shoulders. It's practically impossible to get him into a corner where an argument is concerned.

"Turk" never says much about his future, but with his ability, any objective is attainable.

Intramural Sports, 1; Junior Varsity Basketball, 2, 3; Varsity Basketball, 4; Varsity Soccer, 4.



August 15



"Turk"

"Bow-Wow"

April 30



BETTY BOWERS

This dark-haired lass can usually be found with a comb in one hand, and a mirror in the other. You see, Betty's prime ambition is to be a hairdresser. Nice job for a gal with a personality such as Betty's.

"Bow-Wow" is also quite an accomplished accordion player and has entertained the students on numerous occasions in assembly. Betty enjoys dancing very much and spends her Saturday nights at Shartlesville.

Betty is fond of pickles, ice cream, and French fried potatoes. Quite a combination! Good luck to a swell classmate and companion.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2; Tri-Hi-Y, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus, 4.



CATHERINE BUDDEN

Make way for one of the more reserved members of the class. This brown-haired, brown-eyed lass comes from the rural section surrounding Hamburg.

Few know it, but Catherine is quite a musician, having played with a group called the "Keystone Kids," at various amusement parks. Nice work if you can get it, and this lass seems to have it well in hand.

In Problems class, she seldom says much, but if asked a question, this scholar always has the answer.

Catherine is planning to enter nursing after graduation, and by putting to work all her fine traits, we're sure she will make the grade.

October 17



"Catherine"



"Pansy"

*To one of
Johnny Land's
future wives
- C. B. Burkey*

April 24

CLARENCE BURKEY

Just listen to that! It's none other than "Pansy" holding down the brass section of the orchestra. This boy can really make the trombone talk.

"Pansy's" teasing is often overlooked when he flashes his broad grin and gazes upon his victim with those big blue eyes of his. He is also noted for his ability to argue, and the Problems class is often in an uproar over one of his tirades.

"Pansy" expects to be an engineer, and the name of Clarence Burkey is enough proof of success.

Orchestra, 1, 2, 3; Chorus, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council, 3, 4; Debate Team, 3; Hi-Y, 4; Literary Society President, 4; Boys' Octette, 2, 4; Senior Class Executive Committee, 4; Senior Class Play, 4.



GERALD CARTWRIGHT

This conscientious, dependable lad's kinky black top-knot is often glimpsed with the other members of the "Three Rogues Club"—Read and Rollman. "Pete" is vice-president of the aforesaid institution.

He often maneuvers his gray LaSalle around the streets of Hamburg, and sometimes ventures in the vicinity of Shartlesville on a Saturday night. "Pete" confesses that his idea of food is a delectable cherry pie. Sounds good to us, too.

Spelling is his weakness, but he is also addicted to dancing, the opposite sex, pinochle, and intramural sports.

Intramural Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Soccer, 1, 4; Hi-Y, 2, 4.



September 15



"Pete"

"Emmy"

*Best wishes to a swell girl,
Emily Lou*

October 8



EMILY LOU CLEAVER

Behind a pair of brown eyes reposes one of the most vibrant personalities in the class. This small miss comes from a large family of girls that resides in the country.

"Emmy" is crazy about sports among which she especially enjoys basketball, ice skating, and roller skating. Believe it or not, she says that boys are her favorite past-time. At least this young lady admits it. Bravo!

Wherever food is concerned, you can bet that "Emmy" will head for the chicken. Her prime ambition is to go to college and then become an air-hostess. Good luck to you, "Emmy."

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; G.I.A. Executive Board, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4.



DOROTHY COHICK

Presenting one of the tallest girls in the class! "Dot" is also just about the most quiet.

For recreation, she turns to roller skating and doesn't have any trouble getting along with the opposite sex. Just take a gander at those beautiful blond tresses, which "Dot" professes are a lot of trouble!

"Dot" hopes to be a secretary, and with her neatness and quietness, she'll be a secretary of which any business man can be proud.

Tri-Hi-Y, 3; Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus, 1.

June 27



"Dot"

"Sarah"

*Much success and happiness!
Sarah Davenport!*

December 17

SARAH DAVENPORT

Here is a gal with both personality and brains. Sarah is always on top with a witty remark to brighten the dreary day.

Pat Shollenberger and Sarah are constant companions, as they make their way over life's rough terrain.

Sarah plans to take off for college in the fall. Speaking of colleges, this lassie seems to have quite an interest in Lehigh University. Wonder why?

We wish the best of everything to this blue-gray eyed girl who is really on the beam.

Tri-Hi-Y, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus, 1, 2, 3; Girls' Ensemble, 3, 4; National Honor Society, 3, 4; Treasurer National Honor Society, 3; Debating Team, 3; Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3.



SHIRLEY DISSINGER

No, it isn't the weekly sewing circle. It's just Shirley Dissinger talking to her two side-kicks, Anna Adams and Mary Jane Steely.

Shirley is a commercial student who has a very good chance in the business world because of her skill in this type of work. Miller's 5 & 10 is her working space on a Saturday, and the rest of her time is devoted to a young man from Edenburg.

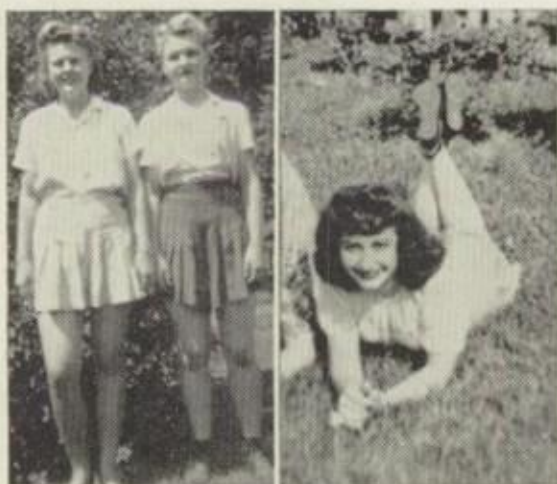
Shirley has a particular like for the color blue, which shares the limelight with her favorite food, ice cream. Shirley's blonde hair and warm gray eyes teamed up with a winning smile make her everyone's friend.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus, 1, 2, 3.



August 4

*Lots of Luck
Shirley*



"Shirley"

"Elsie"

April 10



ELSIE FERRI

This small, dark lass owns a very jovial personality, and is one of the three gals who are always making the halls of H. H. S. echo with mirth.

Elsie intends to be a dress designer, and after seeing some of her creations, we can understand her ambition. Dancing is very important in her young life, and Elsie makes use of the dance floor at Shartlesville frequently.

Elsie is a commercial student, and is found jerking sodas at the local drugstore after school hours.

Tri-Hi-Y, 1, 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y Executive Board, 3, 4; High Lights Staff, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; G.I.A. Executive Board, 1; Girls' Ensemble, 4; Senior Class Play, 4.



DOLORES FINK

H. H. S. wouldn't seem right without "Dolly" rushing around. This little lady has brown hair that trails down her back, is a very neat dresser, and creates a sensation wherever she makes an appearance.

"Dolly" is quite active in all school affairs, and in her spare time, she 'slaves' away at a soda fountain. "Dolly" also has quite an interest in the coal regions, but her heart is ever roaming which probably accounts for her many friends.

With her go-get-it attitude, we know that "Dolly" is bound to succeed in anything she attempts.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club, 1, 2; Tri-Hi-Y, 3, 4; High Lights Staff, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble, 4.

May 24

*Best of everything to
a Senior-to-be!
Sincerely,
Dolly*



"Dolly"

"Red"

October 15

GEORGE FREDERICK

Here is one of the athletic stars of our class majoring in soccer and basketball.

George also seems to do alright as a Romeo from what we have heard. It must be his winning personality that gathers him so many friends.

"Red" is simply crazy about chicken, and is frequently kidded about his middle name. Ask George for more info on the subject.

Here are best wishes to a boy that is tops as far as his friends are concerned.

Soccer, 2, 3, 4; Soccer Captain, 4; Varsity Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball Captain, 4; Track, 2, 4; Vice-President of Literary Society, 4.



*"Lots of Luck"
"Red"*

DORIS GRUBER

If Henry Huntzinger needs a patient listener for his corny jokes, he can certainly find it in "Dot." She thinks that Henry's jokes are tops, and she is forever telling them to her friends.

Doris is forever swooning over the Navy. Basketball rates the top of the list among her likes, and ice cream doesn't trail far behind. She resides in that section of town named Belmont and frequently accompanies another student to school.

Doris says her plans for life after graduation are vague, but with her stick-to-it attitude, nothing should be too hard to tackle.

Mixed Chorus, 2.



December 28



"Dot"

"Lou"

November 29



BETTY LOU HARDINGER

Here's the gal behind the giggle. Presenting Betty Lou, the jokester of the class. She has those laughing brown eyes and a ready smile which make her very bewitching.

"Lou" says that her hobby is chewing gum, and that her pet peeve is lessons. My, what a combination.

This lassie intends to devote her life to making the weaker (?) sex more beautiful; in other words, she is going to be a beautician. More power to a wonderful girl.

Home Economics Club, 1, 2.



MYRON HARTMAN

Make way for the Shakespeare of our class. Yep, it's really "Ace," the creator of the famous "Rocktown News," and the "All Star" basketball team, two subjects that are dear to the hearts of the readers of this lad's writings.

If we were allowed to choose careers for the students, we would pick journalism for this boy who is capable of writing up a peanut scramble and giving it color and life.

After school hours, this lad is employed at Smith's Model Dairy. Good luck to an "Ace" of a fellow.

Junior Varsity Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Captain of the JV's, 4; High Lights, 3, 4; Pinnacle Staff, 4.

November 29



"Ace"

"Red"

IRENE HENDRICKS

Wow! Just look at that red hair. That is definitely the first thing that you notice about Irene. These carrot-colored tresses are teamed up with blue eyes—nice combination.

"Red" is a student from New Ringgold, and as a result she must arise every morning long before many people even think about it.

This lassie seems to have quite an interest out the highway, and 'tis said that she is always strolling out that way.

Irene is a commercial student who has hopes of following that profession after graduation. We wish success to a nice girl.

Intramural Sports, 1, 4.

August 6



DOLORES HENNE

"Dolly" has brown wavy hair and a ready smile and we're just crazy about that giggle of hers!

"Dolly" spends much time reading and writing articles for High Lights and pounding the ivories in senior assembly. In fact, her presence is apparent in practically every H. H. S. activity.

"Dolly" is quite a worker and is very dependable. With these qualities, she is sure to succeed as a medical secretary. Best wishes to everyone's friend.

Tri-Hi-Y, 1, 2, 3, 4; President of Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Literary Society Secretary, 4; Mixed Chorus, 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble, 3, 4; High Lights, 1, 2, 3, 4; Editor of High Lights, 4; Student Council, 2; Orchestra, 3; Debating Team, 3; Senior Class Play, 4; Executive Committee for Senior Class, 4.



*Best Wishes
To A Swell Junior*

January 1

Dolly



"Dolly"



"Irish"

*Good Luck to a
future Senior!*
Dolly

March 28

BETTY HEPLER

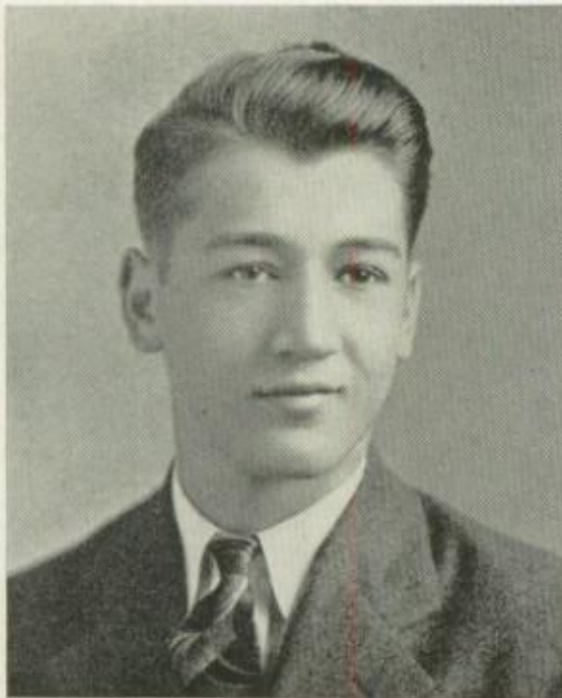
Here she is! A very nice blonde is this miss who hails from that part of the country known as Strausstown. Betty is simply crazy about Italian sandwiches. You know those are the concoctions that give you a send-off like a jet propelled plane.

"Irish" adores dancing and is frequently in a whirl at Shartlesville on a Saturday night.

After graduation, "Hep's" address will be the Allentown General Hospital, where she will be a student nurse. Best wishes to a jolly classmate.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council, 3; G.I.A. Executive Board, 2; Mixed Chorus, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 2, 3, 4; Secretary of Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Secretary of the Senior Class, 4; Pinnacle Staff, 4; Business Manager of the Pinnacle Staff, 4.





LEE HERBER

This out-of-town student made softball history in the preceding months. Lee really has a mighty left arm!

"Lefty" is a very fastidious dresser, and a favorite meal should feature duck on the menu. This sandy haired chap has access to a blue Dodge which travels all over the countryside.

You can usually find "Lefty" at Trexler's Roller Rink, for skating is a favorite pastime. Lee never says much, but you can be sure that he's got the ability to make a success of anything he attempts.

Student Council, 4; Pinnacle Staff, 4.

May 14

*To a swell girl
Lee Herber*



"Lefty"

"Red"

*Best of Luck
To a Coming Senior
"Red"*

October 27

CHARLOTTE HUNTSBERGER

Yep, it's another red-head. Here's a gal that can really scream at games to support the Hawks.

"Red" is the sportiest dresser among the girls, and these outfits are usually accompanied by her favorite hair-do, pig tails!

This miss is a commercial student who is always worrying about her 'law' which she fails to understand. In her spare time she chases ads for the school newspaper.

We wish loads of success to a swell classmate.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; High Lights, 3, 4.



HENRY HUNTZINGER

Sometimes we wonder how Miss Dornbach can remain so calm after Henry has just completed one of his numerous pranks.

This lad drives a "Chevy" with much vim and vigor, and it is a mystery as to how he manages to evade the clutches of the police.

Henry is a very fastidious dresser and his top-knot is always artistically arranged.

With a personality such as Henry's, success in the future is sure. Good luck to a swell fellow.

Hi-Y, 1, 2, 4; Secretary of Hi-Y, 4; High Lights, 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra, 3, 4.



July 10

*200 next
year Senior
Henry*



"Henry"

"Dolly"

November 29



SARA KELLER

Here is another Van Johnson swooner! There doesn't seem to be an end to them. We think that Van would like Sara too, if he got a look at those beautiful gray eyes and her dark curly hair. She is a shy and bashful girl, but can always manage a laugh for a good joke.

"Dolly" likes basketball and helps to cheer the Hawks to victory. On a Saturday night you can find her at Shartlesville.

For a career, Sara is unsettled, but she would like to travel. Best wishes to a very nice classmate.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 2, 3, 4; G.I.A. Executive Board, 4.

*Best Wishes
Sara*



ELIZABETH KEMP

If you hear anyone pronouncing the word, "Idea," "Idear," you can be sure that it is "Betty." It is a definite clue to her identity.

"Betty" has brown hair and blue eyes. As a past-time, she chooses dancing; collecting photographs is her favorite hobby. "Betty" simply loathes being in the dark.

This lassie is quite a driver, the victim being a black "Chevy." Ask her about burning out the brakes.

"Betty" intends to go to beauty culture school in the future, and we all wish her loads of success.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus, 4.

December 17



"Betty"



"Lizzie"

April 14

ELIZABETH KERSHNER

Everybody knows about the town, Berne, the metropolis where this pretty lass resides. She has oceans of love for the Navy, ice cream, candy, and chicken. It all sounds good to us.

"Liz" is always good for a laugh, and the gals that she travels with are always giggling. She particularly likes ice skating, hockey, and soccer. "Lizzie" is deathly afraid of mice and spiders, and we can't say we blame her!

Elizabeth plans to take up nursing after graduation, and we know she'll achieve her goal.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 2, 4.



PAUL KERSHNER

A nickname such as the one that Paul owns, couldn't be more descriptive. His hair is so light that we wonder if it wasn't a peroxide bottle that achieved such a devastating effect! "Whitey" says 'Nope, it's my own.'

Paul comes from Ridge Lawn, a little settlement south of town. There is some mystery as to why this little man hangs around Room 21 all the time. Could anybody set us straight?

"Whitey" travels to school in "Krick's" Chevy, and believe it or not, he looks none the worse for wear. More power to this fellow who is tops in the class!



February 9



"Whitey"

"Phyl"

August 13



PHYLLIS KISTLER

Hear that strong alto voice? Yes, it's "Phyl" giving out with some melody. "Phyl" also has a head that is quick at good sound reasoning.

This Miss usually gets to school at 8:30 A. M., or a minute or so later. In the culinary line, steak and sea food are tops with her.

For favorite colors, "Phyl" thinks that red, black and white are O. K. Incidentally, all of these go well with her exotic coloring.

"Phyl" is going to further her education in a college this fall, and we wish her all the luck in the world.

Tri-Hi-Y, 3, 4; Orchestra, 3; Mixed Chorus, 3, 4; Intramural Sports, 3; Girls' Ensemble, 4; Senior Class Play, 4.



ROBERT KRICK

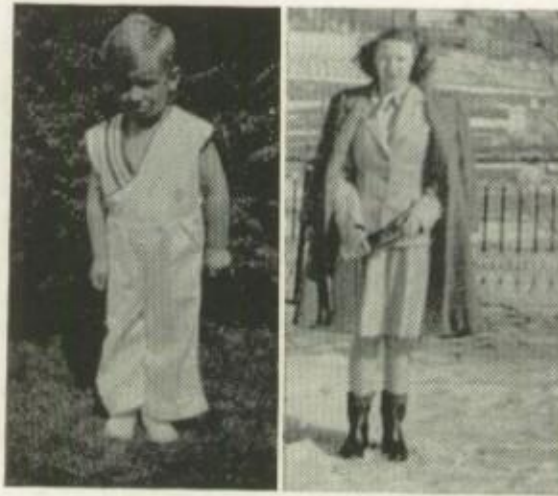
Ever notice that blue Chevy tearing around the school? Yep, that's none other than "Bob" who is always accompanied by "Whitey" Kershner. He really makes tracks with that junk pile! (Please accept our apologies!)

Krick is quite popular with the students and he really appreciates "Red" Frederick's pranks any time of day. He is a successful athletic manager, and he helped out the Senior Class many a time when it needed more popsicles at a basketball game.

We wish loads of luck to a swell fellow.

Intramural Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer, 3, 4; Assistant Basketball Manager, 3; Basketball Manager, 4.

August 27



"Bob"

"Kit"

CHARMAINE LANDIS

Though this miss came to Hamburg High only last year, she has managed to make a lot of friends since then. "Kit" is a slender lass who has a chief interest in Muhlenberg High.

She adores eating ice cream and bananas and is crazy about the color blue. Her ideal actress is Greer Garson. One thing that "Kit" doesn't like is washing dishes. Can't say we blame her.

This gal is popular with all the kids and she plans to follow a career of stenography after graduation. Best wishes to "Kit."

Intramural Sports, 3, 4.



October 18

IRENE MILLER

Here's a lass that loves to eat but she still manages to keep a wonderful figure. Irene has blonde hair and always travels with a certain "Doc." "Renie" makes her way to commercial classes with her very good friend, "Lou" Hardinger.

Irene plans to follow a beauty culture course after graduation. At the present time she **dyes** for a living at our local cleaning and dyeing establishment.

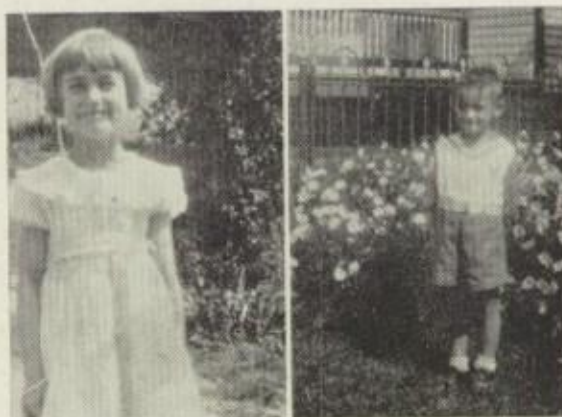
Best wishes to a giggly lass of 12B.

Home Economics Club, 1, 2.



November 11

*Best of luck
to a future senior
"Iskey"*



"Renie"

"Iskey"

November 25



CHARLES MOYER

"Iskey" is known to be quite a mighty hunter and is always palling with another Junior on both his hunting and school expeditions.

This lad has brown eyes and brown hair and occasionally amazes the student body by sinking a beautiful long shot on the basketball floor.

"Iskey's" hunting dog is something out of this world. It possesses one green eye and one blue eye which indeed makes a very interesting study.

We wish loads of success to this boy who is a friend to all.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2; Junior Varsity Basketball, 1, 2; Track Manager, 1; Varsity Basketball, 4.



ROY READ

Roy is truly our noisiest senior. We bestowed this title upon Roy after making many observations upon his classroom and hall exploits. Roy's ability to tease the girls is really an art, and, confidentially, they don't seem to mind a bit.

Brown eyes and an even distribution of freckles identify this lad. He dresses very sportily, and is always heard at basketball games giving a hurray for the Hawks.

Roy is a commercial student and is the only boy with four girls in Bookkeeping II. Good luck to a boy who is tops!

Hi-Y, 1, 2, 4; Mixed Chorus, 2; Library Club, 4.

December 5



"Roy"

"Rep"

December 15

DONALD REPPERT

"Rep," as he is known to his better friends, arrives at Hamburg High School every morning in a bright red truck. He can easily be classed among the quieter and sleepier students. We hear that the boys like to tease him, but the reports also state that Donald is a good sport, and takes it all in fun. If only there were more people like "Rep."

This bespectacled lad is also classified as a woman-hater, but we know he likes them well enough when he needs any assignment help!

Best wishes to a swell classmate.



JOHN RIGHTMYER

"Jack" is the tall unassuming lad of the Senior Class. He insists that he is a woman hater, but we know for a fact that he enjoys the company of a loving female called Lucille. (By the way, Lucille is his pet canine!)

He is definitely the outdoor type, and is an ardent Boy Scout leader. He has worked and strived to attain the rank of Eagle Scout with the Gold Palm.

"Jack" is a really conscientious lad who plans to enter Lehigh in the fall, and we certainly wish him the best of everything.

National Honor Society, 4; President of National Honor Society, 4; Debate Club, 3; Hi-Y, 4; Pinnacle Staff, 4; Senior Class Play, 4; Co-Editor Pinnacle, 4.



May 15

a bon entendeur salut
Best Wishes - John N. Rightmyer



"Jack"



"Bob"

January 14

ROBERT ROLLMAN

Make way for the president of the "Three Rogues Club!" "Bob" is a good-looking boy who has a 14 carat personality. Feminine hearts are all aflutter when he enters a room.

Frequently "Bob" travels back and forth from school in the family Chevy, but once in awhile he is fortunate enough to get his brother's convertible Plymouth.

"Bob" is a great designer of anything involving the aeronautical enterprise. Good luck to a well-liked classmate.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y, 1, 4; Mixed Chorus, 3, 4; Student Council, 2, 4; President of Student Council, 4; Debate Team, 3; President of Athletic Association, 4; Soccer Team Manager, 3, 4; Library Club, 4; Boys' Octette, 4; Junior Class Vice-President, 3; Senior Class Executive Board, 4; Senior Class Play, 4.





VIRGINIA SCHAEFFER

Here is a lassie who swoons over Dennis Morgan. Can't say we blame her. Other likes are French fried potatoes and hamburgers, and the color, blue.

"Ginny's" hobbies are collecting pictures of people and attending the movies. We have it from reliable sources that this lass likes to argue and really sticks to her decision through thick and thin.

Hairdressing holds a fascination for this lass, and we know she'll be a success in her chosen career.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus, 4.

November 5



"Ginny"

"Dora"

*Best of Luck
Dora*

April 26

DORA SCHAPPELL

Here is a gal that is well liked by everyone in the class. Dora is a good natured, plump, blue-eyed miss who hails from Windsor Castle. Her food favorites are candy and ice cream, but she simply detests snitz and knepp.

Dora is taking the commercial course but hopes to be a hair dresser after graduation. Elizabeth Kershner and Dora are always in a corner giggling over a good joke. Wish we knew some of them.

Probably her ability to get along with everyone is due to her slogan, "I like everybody." Now, there is a gal after our own hearts.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4.



Gerald Schiebler
GEROLD SCHIEBLER

No, it isn't an atomic bomb exploding, it's just "Butzie" getting another idea. Just steer clear of this blonde tornado when he's at this stage!

Don't be fooled by that slim Sinatra appearance, this character really puts away plenty of food in a day's time. "Butzie" has also gained some fame as a writer for the feature department of High Lights.

"Butzie" is looking forward to becoming a doctor, and with his intelligence and winning personality, success is a sure thing.

Orchestra, 1, 2, 3; National Honor Society, 3, 4; President of National Honor Society, 3; Vice-President of National Honor Society, 4; Boys' Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Class President, 4; Senior Class Executive Board, 4; High Lights, 3, 4; Student Council, 4; Mixed Chorus, 3; Senior Class Play, 4.



June 20



"Butzie"



"Billy"

October 14



WILLIAM SEIDEL

They say that this lad will give you practically anything for a package of Beach-Nut gum!

"Billy" spends most of his spare time over at Gable's Service Station with most of the rural lads. Lenhartsville is his home, but that doesn't prevent him from becoming acquainted with his classmates—mostly girls. Nice hobby, we think!

Someone told us that he likes to fight with the girls. Now, "Billy," if you like them, why do you persist in tormenting them?

Student Council, 2; Hi-Y, 4; Vice-President Senior Class, 4; Vice-President Athletic Association, 4; Intramural Soccer, 4.

*Robert Shearer
"Cookie"*



ROBERT SHEARER

Although "Cookie" hails from Strausstown he has grown to know Hamburg very well. He is quite popular with all his classmates, and frequently drives a certain pedagogue to near insanity with his talking and continuous pranks.

"Cookie" has won fame as a soccer player and was a high scorer in the past two successful seasons. "Cookie" received his letter in his first year, which is evidence of his skill.

Good luck, "Cookie," from the entire class.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y, 1, 4; Student Council, 1, 3; President of Junior Class, 3; President of Hi-Y, 4; Soccer, 3, 4; Assistant Treasurer of Athletic Association, 3; Treasurer of Athletic Association, 4.

May 9



"Cookie"

"Pat"

*Much success
and happiness,
Esther,
-Pat-*

PATRICIA SHOLLENBERGER

July 5

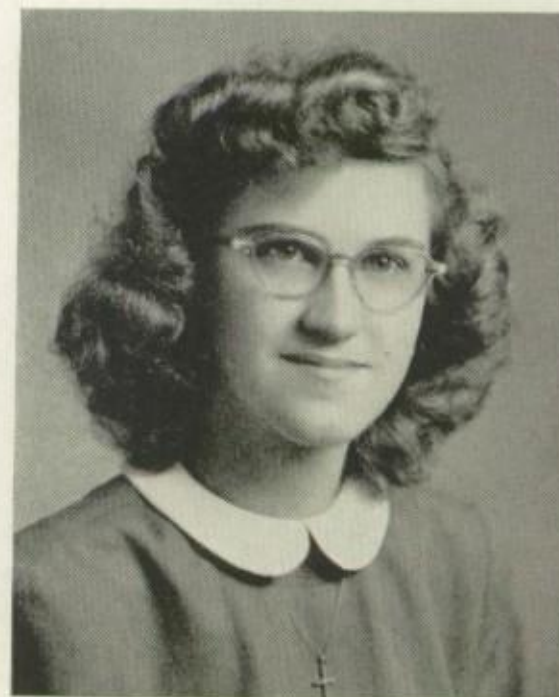
"Pat" is the tall and willowy blonde of the Senior Class that everyone will "Bear" in mind. Her personality plus aids her in maintaining so many friends.

This miss guards the class funds with her life. She is particularly fond of the expression, "Bear with us!" Wonder why?

"Pat" just loves gooey sundaes made with Smith's ice cream. More of her likes are jewelry, and the song, "Who is Sylvia?"

Swarthmore College is "Pat's" destination in the fall, and we wish her scads of luck!

Tri-Hi-Y, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus, 1, 2; High Lights, 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society, 4; Class Treasurer, 4; Girls' Ensemble, 4; Intramural Sports, 1, 2.



GRACE SMITH

Do you hear that clear outstanding voice above all the others? That's none other than Grace who is the female Sinatra of our class. "Smitty" also possesses green eyes, brown tresses, and rosy cheeks that are the envy of all the girls in the class.

Grace's pet peeve is teasing and her blushing is quite outstanding whenever an outstanding predicament is uncovered.

We congratulate Grace on her choice of career which involves nursing at the Allentown General Hospital after graduation.

Tri-Hi-Y, 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary of Tri-Hi-Y, 3; Treasurer of Tri-Hi-Y, 4; Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Basketball, 2, 3; Girls' Ensemble, 3, 4; Student Council, 1, 3, 4; Secretary-Treasurer of Student Council, 4; High Lights, 2, 3, 4; Pinnacle Staff, 4; Senior Class Play, 4.



May 2

Good luck in your senior year. May it be as happy as mine.
Grace



"Smitty"

"Janey"

January 21



MARY JANE STEELY

"Janey" and her "ever faithful Ford" were a common sight at all the soccer games this past season. She is quite an accomplished driver, having gotten a lot of experience doing errands for her dad who runs a grocery store.

"Janey" is a commercial student who has great promise in that field. She loves the color blue, and her favorite food is hamburgers. This lassie abhors her first name, and could cheerfully exterminate people who use it in addressing her.

Loads of best wishes to a fine classmate.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; High Lights, 3, 4; Pinnacle Staff, 4.



SHIRLEY STERNER

Make way for "Lana" Sterner. Shirley got this name from her many friends whom she keeps in stitches with her corny jokes. "Lana" is sometimes called "Steamer." Goodness knows where she got that name!

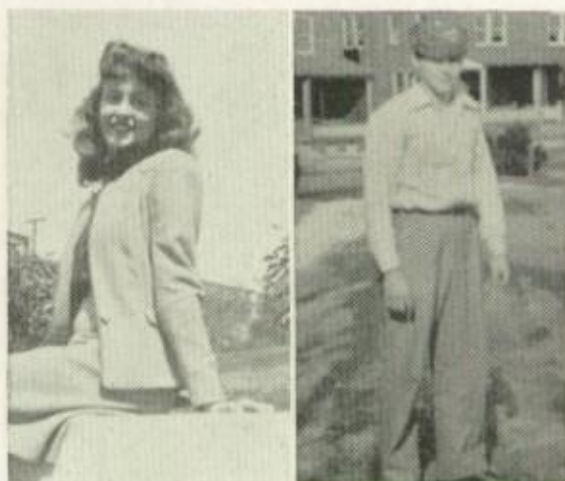
Shirley made history this past year with her original interpretation of a typewriter! That was really something. The kids like her because she is an all around sport. H. H. S. wouldn't seem right without the laughing echoes of Shirley.

"Lana" is a commercial student who is bound to make good as someone's secretary.

Tri-Hi-Y, 1; G.I.A., 1, 2, 3, 4.

March 27

*Best of Everything
"Lana"*



"Lana"

"Lindy"

January 21

CHARLES STOUDT

Lassies frequently say that "Lindy" has such "Pretty Eyes." We all have to look into this. 'Tis said that Charles has quite a hefty arm when it comes to baseball. In his spare time he takes delight in having friendly arguments on the "Strausstown Flyer."

Charles distinguished himself on the soccer squad with some neat playing. Most of the time he can be seen driving around in a Ford that is minus the brakes.

We wish success to this lad of the outdoors who loves to be "one of the gang."

Intramural Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Soccer, 4.



RUTH STOUDT

Ruth is a curly-headed lass that hails from Berne. She is tops at playing basketball, particularly the position of guard. In fact, she is crazy about all sports.

She has no pet peeve, but she is always complaining about her hair and her nose, which she insists is too long. We don't agree!

Ruthie travels to school frequently on "Lizzie" Kershner's bus which leaves Berne early every morning. As for her future, Ruth says it is indefinite, but we know she is a good worker and is able to tackle anything.

Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y, 3, 4.



January 8



"Ruth"

"Jenny"

January 31



JEANNINE STRAUSSER

Here is a member of a famous trio. The other two are Dot Cohick and Pearl Yoder, and these lassies speak well of "Jenny," who has brown hair and eyes.

"Jenny" is a small gal, and is frequently found behind the expression, "Oh, my aching back." "Jenny" likes dancing and roller skating and spends her Thursday nights at the rink in town.

This miss raves over a dish of macaroni and cheese as well as a boy named Bobby. Know any more on the subject?

Tri-Hi-Y, 1, 2; Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4.

Best wishes!
Anna



ANNA WESSNER

No, no! Not another Van Johnson fan! Really, this is quite a thing! That boy must really have something. Anna also likes ice cream and dancing.

Red is a color that Anna frequently wears, and she looks very nice in it, too. You may sometimes find her at Schlenker's where she helps out as a waitress. This little lady can also drive and don't be surprised to see her breeze by in a gray Plymouth.

Anna plans to enter St. Joseph's nursing school after graduations, and we wish her success.

Tri-Hi-Y, 3, 4; Intramural Sports, 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus, 4; G.I.A., 2.

June 3



"Anna"

"Diamond"

September 8

PEARL YODER

Pearl's nickname was acquired when she was given a beautiful ring for her third finger, left hand, by a certain discharged soldier. As far as we know, she is the only girl in the class that is engaged. We wish her happiness.

"Diamond" is sometimes called, "Dutch." Despite this name, she's crazy about Italian spaghetti and meat balls. This lass also raves about blue and yellow, and she wears them to an advantage.

Pearl says that her future is rather indefinite, but we bet she'll be a housewife in quick order.



RICHARD YODER

Make way for another little man! This lad is always playing pranks on some poor victim, but we unanimously forgive him.

We have it from a very authoritative source that "Dick" likes football, baseball, and the weaker sex. We admire his tastes.

One couldn't call "Dick" the mousey type, but he is always very quietly proceeding on his way, and if it weren't for an occasional hello, we wouldn't even know that he was present! Very unusual for an H. H. S. Student! Good Luck, "Dick."

Richard Yoder



August 28



"Dick"



1. The Class of 1946 back in third grade, 2. Lee Herber, 3. Herman Klopp, George Frederick, Harold Berger, George Kelly, and Henry Berger, 4. Ann Rubright and Kathryn Drummheller, 5. Betty Kemp, 6. Jean Adams, 7. Barbara Staller, 8. Ralph Althouse, 9. Shirley Sterner, 10. Emily Lou Cleaver and Dora Schappell, 11. Miss Dornbach, 12. Doris Shollenberger, 13. Front row, Anna Wessner, Sara Keller, Emily Lou Cleaver, and Ruth Minnich; Back row, Ruth Stoudt, Marion Yonker, Betty Hepler, and Elizabeth Kershner, 14. Mary Jane Steely, 15. Mr. Weber, 16. Dolores Heckman, 17. Doris Anthony, and 18. Sarah Davenport.

SUPERLATIVES



R. ROLLMAN E. KERSCHNER
BEST LOOKING



J. RIGHTMYER S. DAVENPORT
MOST LIKELY
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BEST SINGERS



G. SCHIEBLER
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ARGUMENTATIVE



C. BERGER



A. BALTHASER G. FREDERICK

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NOISIEST



B. L. HARDINGER P. KERSCHNER

SILLIEST LAUGH



R. KRICK R. BAILEY
SLEEPIEST



S. STERNER C. STOUT

WITTIEST



Left to Right: Gerald Cartwright, Dolores Henne, Gerold Schiebler, Mrs. Sinclair, Faculty Advisor; Robert Rollman, Corrine Berger, Margaret Baver, Garland Baer, Selena Beltz, Grace Smith, John Rightmyer, Phyllis Kistler, Clarence Burkey, and Elsie Ferri.

Senior Class Play



"Now you listen here . . ."

"ALMOST EIGHTEEN"

CAST

Eddie Barry	Robert Rollman
Mr. Barry	Gerold Schiebler
Mrs. Barry	Margaret Baver
Beatrice Barry	Dolores Henne
Uncle George	Garland Baer
Mabel Warren	Selena Beltz
Mrs. Granville	Phyllis Kistler
Ann Sherman	Corrine Berger
Tommy Granville	Clarence Burkey
Sally Davidson	Elsie Ferri
Mr. Merritt	John Rightmyer
Miss Dalrymple	Grace Smith
Director	Mrs. A. Mary Sinclair



Family Portrait

"Almost Eighteen"

The locale for the Senior Class Play, "Almost Eighteen," is a typical American town. The dialogue revolves around the incomparable Barry family composed of domineering father, easy-going mother, modern daughter Beatrice, and indescribable Eddie.

Eddie has decided he wants a career as a crooner. The only obstacles to this ideal are his father and his lack of capital. A Godsend in the form of an essay contest lifts its head and Eddie decides to enter. Uncle George "helps" Eddie by submitting a paper he doesn't know was copied from an eminent English lawyer long-since dead.

Eddie wins the contest and everyone is delighted. However, the day before the formal announcement of the winner, the committee, composed of Mr. Merritt, Mrs. Granville, and Miss Dalrymple, pay a visit to the Barry family and disclose the fact that they have discovered Eddie's entry was copied. Eddie denies the accusation.

Everyone is ready to disown Eddie except his mother and Mabel Warren, his choir director. The episode is brought to a close by the arrival of Uncle George, who confesses he had entered the essay by mistake, thinking that Eddie had written it.

In the confusion it is revealed that the committee is unable to find the winner of the second best paper.

Eddie announces that he had sent in an essay under his first and middle name only and had given his address as General Delivery. He proves this declaration by giving the opening lines of his paper which correspond with those of the second best paper. Eddie has won after all!

Everyone loved Eddie's flame, Ann Sherman, and his ever heartwarming friends, Tommy Granville and Sally Davidson.

"Almost Eighteen" was truly a typical episode about a typical American family, but it was mighty interesting!

Class Diary

September

- 4 School days, school days.
- 14 Seniors decide to have Red & Gray as their colors.
- 29 Hey, mother! How about baking a cake for the senior food sale?

October

- 17 Hamburg wins county soccer championship for second time.

November

- 2 What are you doing tonight, Mary? How about going to the Senior Class Party?
- 19 Monday morning, the scene, station HHS; the PINNACLE staff gives the weekly program.
- 22 Yum, yum! This turkey hits the spot!

December

- 7 Seniors choose the motto, "Knowledge comes, but wisdom lingers."
- 9 12A struggles with Burke while 12B has a round with Macbeth.
- 21 We'll be bringing in the Yule log in a few days.

January

- 2 Back to school again. Isn't vacation a wonderful thing?
- 4 Why all the rushing to Room 22? Could be that the class hats arrived.
- 18 Who ever invented mid-year exams?

February

- 4 Ordeal over. Senior portraits all snapped!
- 11 "Whew," says Mr. Conrad, "I'm glad that is finished."
- 14 Remember all those lessons Bertrand Shurtleff gave to the boys?

March

- 15-16 Amateur Barrymores display their talent in the production of "Almost Eighteen."
- 22 Tripped the light fantastic at the St. Patrick's Day Dance!

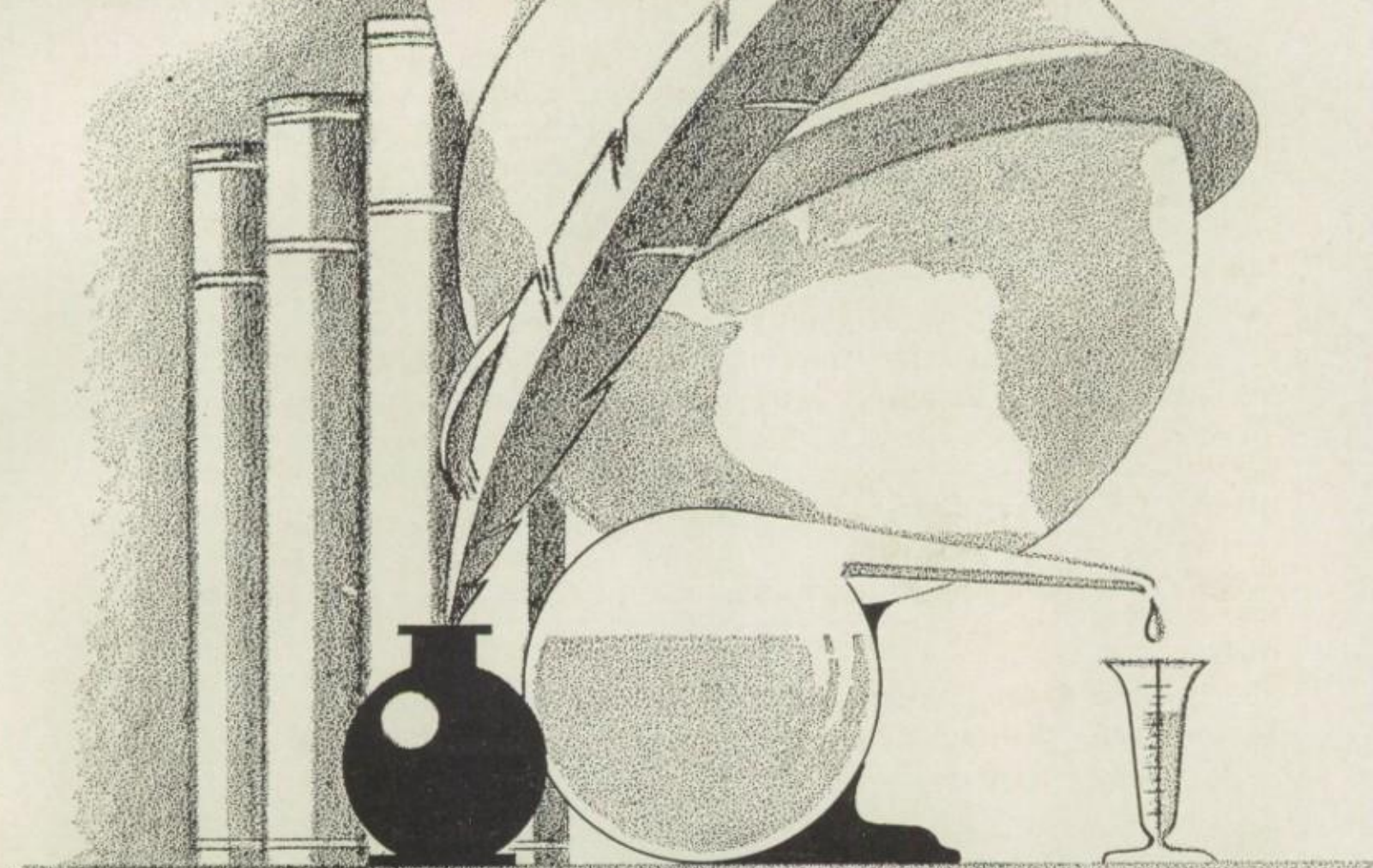
April

- 19 Good Friday Holiday.
- 22 Easter Monday is observed as a holiday for the first time in the history of H. H. S.

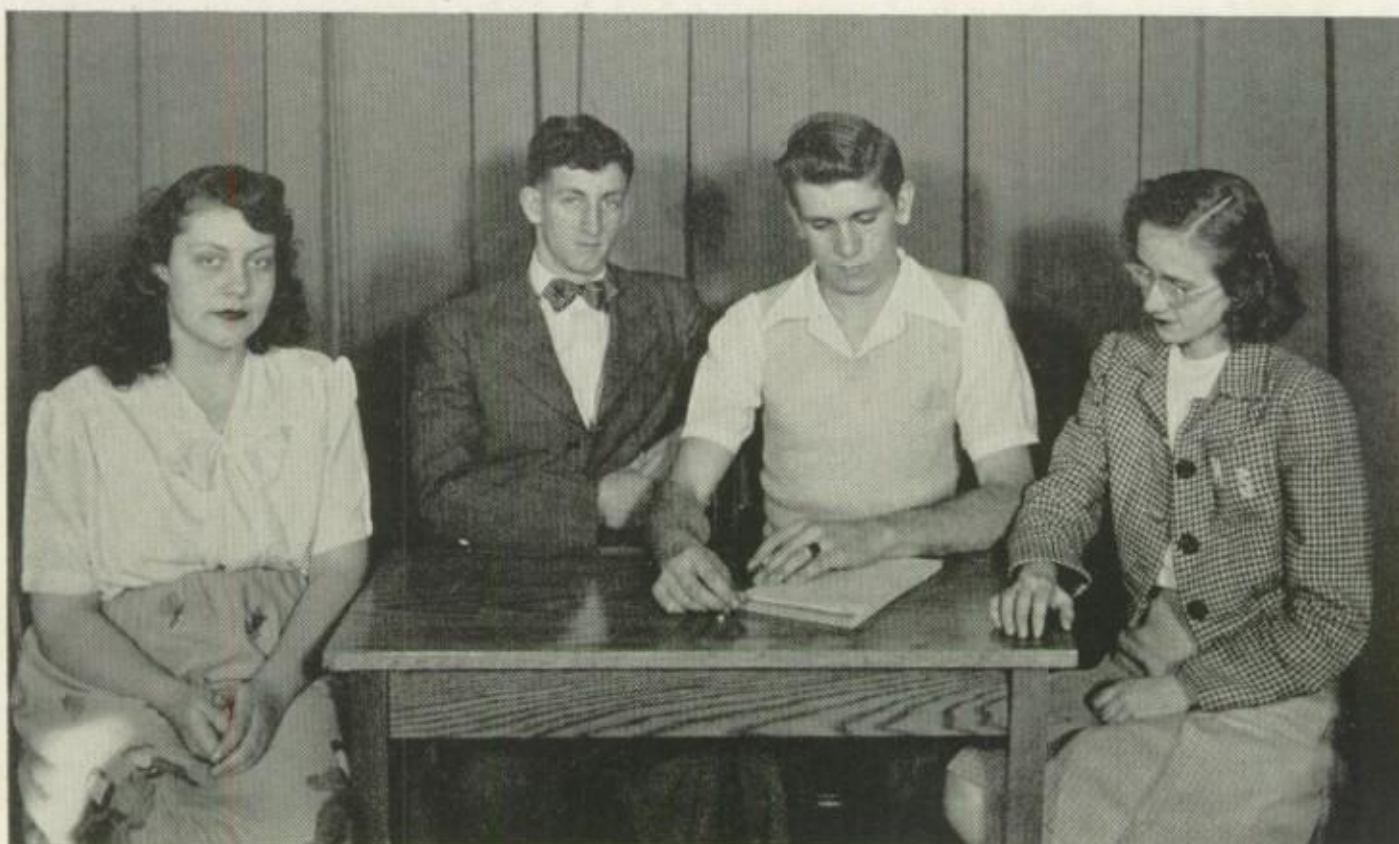
May

- 13-16 Seniors come to the Bridge of Sighs and pass over with tears of gladness, after slaving through the finals.
- 23-28 Seniors run around while underclassmen toil away.
- 26 Baccalaureate Sermon—the beginning of the end.
- 29 Class night—it's getting closer and closer.
- 30 Commencement—Gee! We're really going to miss Hamburg High.

Underclassmen



The Class of 1947



Left to Right: Betty Wink, Charles Reed, John Young, and Marilyn Smith.

Early in the first month of school the Juniors chose as their leader a very capable president, John Young. The other officers chosen were Kathryn Miller, Secretary; Marilyn Smith, Treasurer; and Betty Wink, Historian. The class colors are green and white.

This class will be well remembered as one of great athletic ability. Ralph Althouse, George Achenbach, George Fink, Kermit Frantz, Robert Muller, John Young, Gene Shollenberger, and Robert Gowans helped lead our Hawks to a second Berks County Soccer Championship.

These same lads, accompanied by Charles Reed, made up the nucleus of our 1945-46 Basketball Team which won the Northern Division title.

June Gingrich, Faye Klopp, Joyce Heinly, and Ruth Moll were those girls in red and blue who led the cheers.

The juniors had fine representation on the girls' basketball team with Helen Nies, Kathryn Miller, June Gingrich, Lenore Schiebler, Ruth Moll, and Maurine Smith.

Members of the Panel Discussion Group were Ruth Moll, Marilyn Smith, Betty Wink, Robert Etchberger, Eugene Rightmyer, and John Young.

Ruth Moll, Donald Anthony, and Eugene Rightmyer were members of the National Honor Society.

Student Council representatives included Jean Batdorf, Betty Wink, Robert Muller and John Young.

Smooth sailing to the Class of 1947.

Best wishes
Success to you
Marion L. Bryner

Best wishes
Norman S. Greenwald

Be good -
Let who will
be clever!
With best wishes
E. R. Loebe



11A

Left to Right, First Row: Anna Becker, Mildred Mengel, Effie Kershner, Margaret Bailey, Marguerite Himmelberger, Jean Batdorf, Myrle Ketner, Ruth Ketner, Geraldine Heckman, Marian Becker, and Marion Althouse. Second Row: June Gingrich, Faye Klopp, Pauline Kress, Dolores Kudleck, Anna Krommes, Esther Ketner, Anna Bubbenmoyer, Mildred Hartman, Beatrice Feick, Betty Gruber, Luella Berger, Mabel Kershner, Sarah Epting, and Joyce Heinly. Third Row: Glenn Himmelberger, David Fink, George Achenbach, George Fink, Earl Adam, George Kershner, Ralph Ernst, and Miss Mercurio. Fourth Row: John Adams, Harold Hafer, Robert Etchberger, Kermit Frantz, Robert Gowans, Edwin Moyer, Donald Anthony, and Ralph Althouse.

To a neighbor
girl.
Mrs. May H. Albert

11B

Left to Right, First Row: Doris Mengle, Helen Nies, Maxine Rubin, Katharine Miller, Ruth Zimmerman, Betty Wink, Marian Wentzel, Eva Stein, Lalene Zweizig, Emily Sonon, and Virginia Miller. Second Row: Mr. Fortney, Ruth Moll, Phyllis Mohan, Marilyn Smith, Phyllis Yerger, Lenore Schiebler, Ella Wessner, Mae Rhoads, Marilyn Yoder, Elsie Rentschler, Maurine Smith, Doris Rentschler, and Betty Jane Pascoe. Third Row: Eugene Rightmyer, Samuel Shappell, Charles Turner, Charles Moyer, Charles Reed, Gene Shollenberger, John Young, Mark Seaman, Paul Schaeffer, John Seitzinger, Marvin Shollenberger, and Robert Muller.



The Best to you
Ether E. Kistler

Class of 1948

The Sophomore class, composed of eighty-six members, has within its realm many future stars. This prediction is upheld by the following data:

Three of the members, Doris Manbeck, Ray Schaeffer, and Martha Bujanich, gained experience in legislature by attending Student Council.

Musical stars of tomorrow are Barbara Wagner and Jane Achenbach on the piano, Lillian DeLong and Harold Bohn on the Spanish and electric guitar, and Clifford Forrester on the marimba.

The school orchestra claimed Nancy and Betty Gliem on the drums and Jutta Deubel on the violin.

In public speaking great skill was displayed by Ruth Roberts, Paul Adams, William Kauffman and Mary Jane Machmer.

Charles Weirich and Arlan Henne represented the class on the boys Junior Varsity team, while the girls' varsity had within its ranks Dorothy Gingrich, Nancy Gliem, Betty Gliem, Esther Schaeffer and Mary Jane Machmer.

To this ever enthusiastic class we wish success in their future years.



10A

Left to Right, First Row: Dorothy Gingrich, Ruth Bowers, Phyllis Belton, Lillian DeLong, Georgia Correll, Martha Bujanich, Jutta Deubel, Betty Girard, Louise Bayer, Marie Bowers, and Lucille Faust. Second Row: Helen Derr, Emily Boltz, Jane Achenbach, Kermit Ebling, Thomas Confer, George Doba, Paul Geschwindt, Beatrice Bashore, Theresa Cleaver, Mildred Berk, and Mrs. Roy Hein. Third Row: Paul Correll, Floyd Bohn, Clifford Forrester, Kenneth DeLong, Harold Bohn, and Paul Adams.



10B

Left to Right, First Row: Shirley Mengel, Kathleen Lof, Marian Keener, Betty Gliem, Janet McElfatrick, Doris Manbeck, Marion Lindenmuth, Dolores Heckman, Nancy Gliem, Jean Henry, and Ruth Kunkel. Second Row: Ralph Kalabisko, William Kauffman, Fern Heckman, Edith Kessler, Mary Jane Machmer, Betty Kelly, Lucille Hix, Arlan Henne, Leroy Mengel, and Miss Bartholomew. Third Row: Wallace Long, Sterling Lutz, Harland Hess, Darwin Hess, and Ray Kauffman.



10C

Left to Right, First Row: Dollie Reppert, Helen Seaman, Doris Schollenberger, Anna Schollenberger, Fay Ney, Ray Schaeffer, Shirley Phillips, Barbara Serff, Ruth Roberts, Ruby Wertz, and Jeanette Snyder. Second Row: Joseph Seyfert, Robert Stine, Anna Neuin, Esther Schaeffer, Barbara Wagner, Mary Moyer, Marie Zweizig, Anna Seyfert, Rose Marie Rhoads, Clayton Wein, and Vitalis Paulie. Third Row: Mark Morgan, Royce Reppert, Neil Yerger, Lester Moyer, Harold Miller, Glenn Trump, Wilbur Reifein, and Mr. Transue.

Class of 1949

The Class of 1949, strong, made its own mark in importance this year.

The ninth grade is represented in the Student Council by such students as Jay Baker, 9-A; William Schwartz, 9-B; and Mary Nies, 9-C.

Athletic ability is not lacking in the Class of 1949. It is represented by Robert Moyer, Douglas Spacht, Richard Yoder, Allen Shollenberger, Edmund Read and Douglas Romig, who were on the Junior Varsity.

The class pianist is Joyce Budden, while Kenneth Keiser rates high in marimba playing.

The ninth grade captured recognition when it won the debate between the ninth and tenth grade on the topic of, Resolved: "The Voting Age Should Be Lowered to 18."

The Freshman class is usually typed as the "greenhorn" department in any high school. Not so with the Class of 1949. These boys and girls helped entertain the high school in two instances when they were members of casts for plays presented in general assembly.

The civics play involved the very important topic of racial tolerance—its meaning and effect upon American life.

The Class of 1949 also presented an Irish play by Lady Gregory. They showed how a simple remark can spread into a rumor and break friendships.

A class that Hamburg High School can be proud of is the Class of 1949.



9A

Left to Right, First Row: Betty Koch, Mary Seyfert, Kathryn Drumheller, Jean Moyer, Dorothy Cope, Stanley Moyer, Fredericka Stout, Lorraine Reber, Margaret Knause, Barbara Staller, and Jean Adams. Second Row: Douglas Romig, William Schappell, Thomas Bayer, Jean Smith, Esther Hafer, Joyce Budden, Helen Reber, Nancy Reed, David Moll, Kenneth Becker, and Marvin Breining. Third Row: Kenneth Fryer, Edmund Read, John Adams, Kenneth Keiser, Richard Johnson, Edward Bailey, David Dinkel, Richard Knoblauch, Paulus Zimmerman, and Miss Kline. Fourth Row: Allen Shollenberger, Robert Moyer, Jay Baker, John Berry, Richard Roberts, Russell Adams, Myron Ullendorf, and Harold Spatz.



9B

Left to Right, First Row: Mrs. Sinclair, Janet Gruber, Betty Rentschler, Phyllis Dewald, Dolores Smith, Robert Graeff, Geraldine Spacht, Anna Rubright, Anna Miller, Elizabeth Henne, and Dolores Wagner. Second Row: Spencer Schlappich, Earl Kelly, Larry Ketner, Richard Moyer, Richard Yoder, James Geiger, Lester Mengel, Richard Bachman, Donald Fidler, Antonio Donatelli, William Schwartz, and Clarence Bordner. Third Row: James Moyer, George Kunkle, David Becker, Paul Moyer, Russell Bubbenmoyer, Daniel Balthaser, Douglas Spacht, Arlan Wink, Norman DeLong, Ray Dunkel, and Robert Hardinger. Fourth Row: Stuart Meck, Wayne Kauffman, Robert Heintzelman, Harold Kauffman, Earl Reppert, and Richard Shade.



9C

Left to Right, First Row: Mary Nies, Ethel Bagenstose, Ruth Degler, Helen Berger, Jean Trumbore, Margaret Emore, Ruth Kauffman, Helen Yoder, and Ethel McFetridge. Second Row: Doris Seaman, Carmen Miller, Anna Grim, Peggy Ann Francis, Marilyn Spatz, Ruth Balthaser, Mary Shappell, Frances Cleaver, Bertha Wessner, and Miss Smith. Third Row: Jean Kershner, Marie Phillips, Evelyn Schappell, Esther Bagenstose, Esther Stitzel, Delores Geiss, Mary Heckman, and Laura Grim.

Class of 1950

The eighth graders started their second year at Hamburg High School with sixty eager students bound to make this new year as exciting and full of vigor as the one just passed.

The Class of 1950 is fond of sports, as you might have noticed if you were interested in boys' and girls' intramural activities. The boys played the seniors in a game of basketball and although they lost by a score of 25-17, they offered tough competition to the hardened seniors. The G.I.A. representatives were Joan Wagner from 8-A and Nancy Strausser from 8-B. The girls' teams engaged in all the Junior High tournaments.

Through their cooperation in assembly programs, these students proved to the upperclassmen that they were by no means shy. They helped in any way they could when asked. The Junior High Civics class gave a play entitled "Youth and Uncle Sam" in which half the cast was taken from the eighth grade. By giving their time and efforts toward this play, they showed their willingness towards cooperating to make the assembly programs interesting and entertaining.

Even though some of the pupils reach their homerooms at 30 1/2 minutes after eight, even though they have noisy homeroom periods, and even though they have no Van Johnsons and Betty Grables, we will all agree that the Class of 1950 is a swell one.



8A

Left to Right, First Row: Leona Heckman, Joan Wagner, Joanne Dietrich, Elizabeth Feick, Ann Wildermuth, Nancy Byers, Martha Wink, Mary Jane Machemer, and Betty Jane Engle. Second Row: Miss Edel, Carl Krick, Landis Ketner, Theodore Bayer, Barbara Becker, Joyce Kunkel, Jean Burns, Kenneth Fidler, Glenn Kummerer, and Theodore Zimmerman. Third Row: Lee Kershner, Richard Poore, Richard Adams, John Petery, Curtis Kershner, David McFall, Stanley Wagner, and Ralph Peters.



8B

Left to Right, First Row: Mary Ellen Seidel, Doris Sunday, Ruth Deubel, Fern Smith, Nancy Strausser, Mary Alice Heffner, Doris Bossler, Dorothy Miller, and Winona Shollenberger. Second Row: Mr. Ebling, Neil Yoder, Charles Shollenberger, Robert Christman, Elaine Bossler, Betty Rodgers, Betty Merkel, Alean Kress, Mary Boltz, Julia Trabosh, Richard Burkert, John Trabosh, and Stanley Henne. Third Row: Robert Dreibelbis, Mark Piacine, George Moyer, Richard Roeder, Holton Confer, Carl Greth, Richard Wolfe, Walter Wink, Harold Becker, George Rollman, David Cope, and Robert Bowers.

Class of 1951

Much musical talent of all kinds is to be found among the pupils of the seventh grade. There are Janet Breiningner, Melba Kessler, Darrell Koch, and Joan Trump who play the piano; and Patricia Kunkleman who plays the marimba.

This year the junior high school, under the instruction of Mrs. Rhoads, had a library course which taught the pupils the use and the care of books, the efficiency of the card catalogue, and the library regulations.

The girls of the seventh grade were active in intramural sports.

The junior high school had its own assembly conducted by Mr. Schwarz who was assisted by Mr. Baver and Misses Bartholomew and Dornbach. Mary Alice Heffner and Nancy Byers were the pianists.

The seventh grade pupils were introduced to such new courses as home economics, shop, guidance, and gym.

To the Class of 1951 we give our heartiest best wishes.



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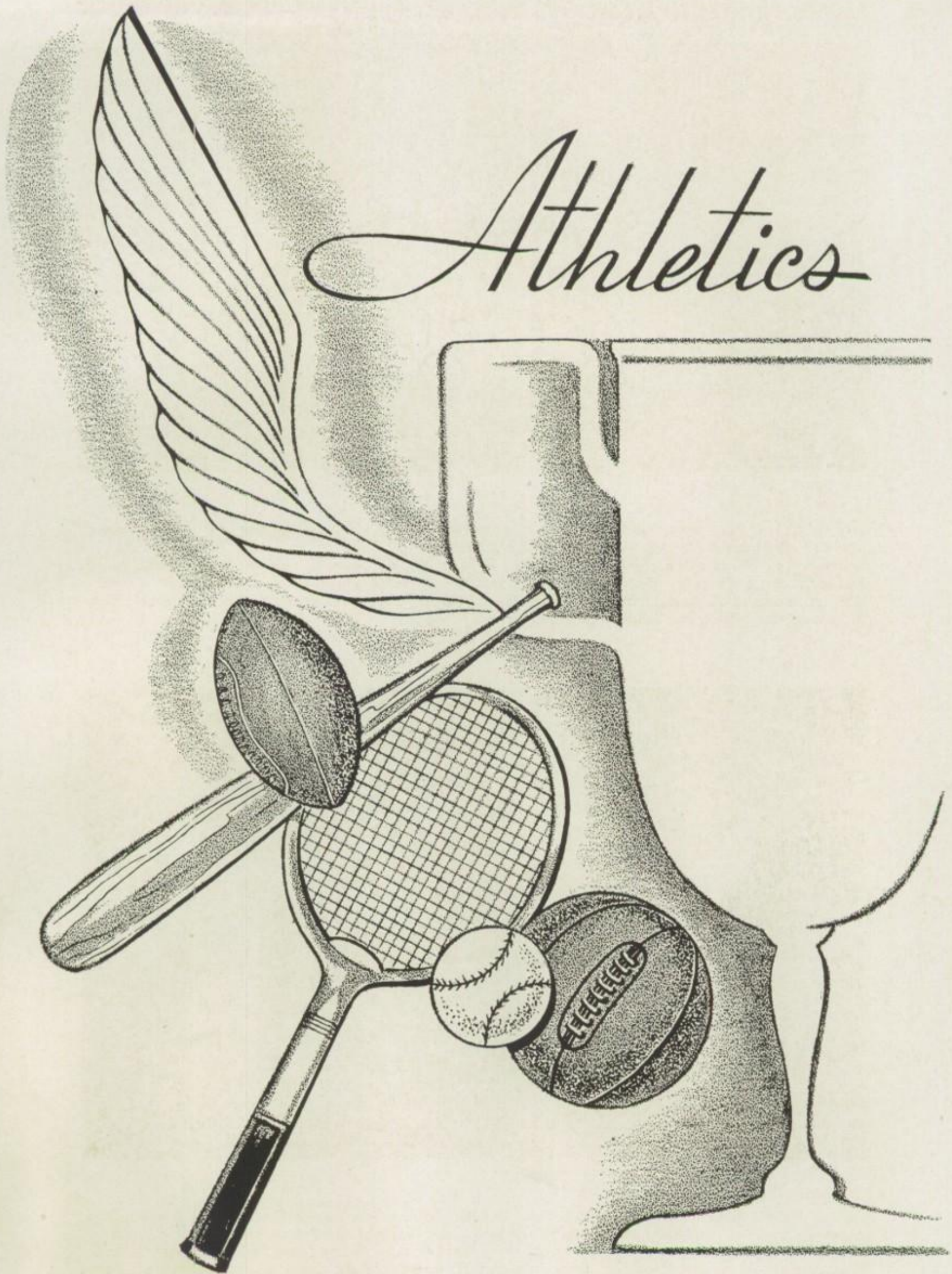
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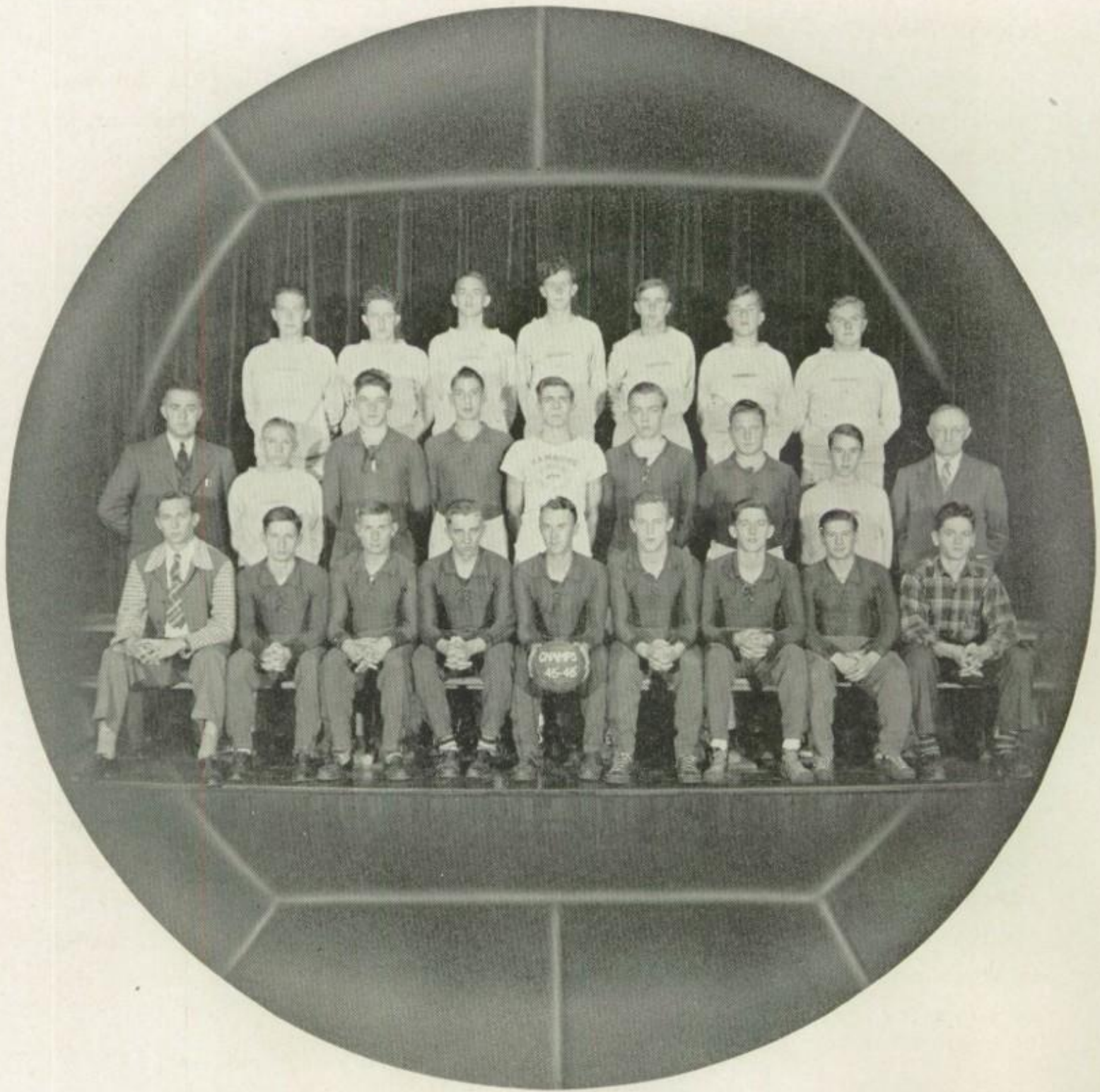
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Left to Right, First Row: Lillian Dietrich, Sylvia Dalious, Nancy Williamson, Doris Dunkelberger, Patricia Kunkleman, Darlene Shollenberger, Maryann Dreibelbis, Marie Yoder, and Mary Louise Rightmyer. Second Row: John Reppert, Mary Jane Feick, Shirley Berger, June Reed, Jean Schappell, Dolores Eickhoff, Ronald Barr, and Miss Dornbach. Third Row: Franklin Keim, Gary Greth, Donald Yocom, Richard DeLong, Paul Hasenauer, Bruce Croneberger, and Darrell Koch.

Athletics



Berks County Soccer Champions



Left to Right, First Row: Robert Rollman, Manager; Robert Berger, Robert Shearer, Robert Krick, George Frederick, George Achenbach, Ralph Althouse, Robert Muller, and Mark Seaman, Assistant Manager. Second Row: Mr. Bayer, Coach; Clayton Wein, Charles Stoudt, Kermit Frantz, John Young, Robert Gowans, Arlan Henne, Robert Stine, and Mr. Transue, Faculty Advisor. Third Row: Paul Moyer, Mark Morgan, Charles Moyer, Gene Shollenberger, Lester Moyer, Neil Yeager, and George Fink.

Soccer

The Hawks from Hamburg High again smothered all opposition to win the Berks County Soccer Championship for the second consecutive year.

Coach Arlan Baver's team was comprised of such stalwarts as George "Mangler" Achenbach, John "Honey" Young, George "Red" Frederick, Robert "Rocky" Muller, and Robert "Cookie" Shearer.

Much credit, however, must be given to Coach Baver for his untiring efforts in coaching the "Boys of Red and Blue" to another County Soccer Championship.

The Hawks outscored their opponents by the score of 29-4. In league competition the Hawks were scored on but three times in twice as many games. In the playoff for the county championship, the Hawks came from behind to beat Mohnton 2-1. It was an exciting battle all the way through. Mohnton drew first blood on a clever shot in the second period. However, those fighting Hawks came clawing back and Bobby Shearer knotted the count at 1-all in the third period. Near the close of the regulation game, Ralph Althouse, formerly of Muhlenberg High, scored the game's winning goal, sending the many Hamburg rooters into an uproar.

In the league competition Hamburg has now run its winning streak to 12 straight. Last year the Hawks won six without losing. This year's team duplicated the mark.

Of the 29 points scored by the fighting Hawks, Muller had 8; Shearer, 7; Ray Henne, 5; Althouse, 4; Stoudt, 2; Berger, 1; Frederick, 1; and Weirich, 1.

The season was started by beating Fleetwood 8-0. Kutztown invaded Hamburg to be turned back 2-1. Journeying to Perry, the Hawks found it easy going and a 4-0 victory. Fleetwood then sought revenge to no avail, because again the Red and Blue prevailed, 7-1. The Perry Admirals failed to score and Hamburg won again 3-0. In the finale, Kutztown, again the season's toughest foe, was conquered, 3-1.

Northern Division Champions



Left to Right, First Row: John Young, Robert Muller, George Frederick, Ralph Althouse, and Kermit Frantz. Second Row: Mr. Baver, Coach; Robert Berger, George Achenbach, Charles Reed, Robert Krick, Manager; and Mr. Transue, Faculty Advisor.



Raise that Score!



COACH
BAVER



CAPTAIN
FREDERICK



MANAGER
KRICK

Varsity Basketball

"Hawks Down Rothsville," "Hawks Claw Cougars as Division Champs," are just a few of the many headlines that our varsity squad made this year when they brought home the Northern Division Championship and made a very good stand against stronger teams in the P.I.A.A. Class B play-off games.

Our boys tasted defeat in the early part of the season against Muhlenberg. These two games, however, were not league games. Our local deans welcomed the new year with twin wins at Oley and at Fleetwood. They lost a heartbreaker to Kutztown, but came back into circulation by trimming Boyertown 39-36. There was a triumphal victory over Oley in which we led 50-13. A highlight of the season was a game with the Amity Beavers in which "Honey" Young led the scoring with a total of nineteen points. We lost another fray to Kutztown, in which the score was 29-22. The Hawks were now tied with Amity and Boyertown for second place. Once again they made their way to the top. Lady Luck was with the Hamburg boys on February 22 when they took the Amity Beavers 26-22. The same night the Boyertown Bears beat Kutztown Cougars 29-28 which put the three teams in a triple tie for first place.

There was a trip to Wyomissing High School to play the winner of the Boyertown-Kutztown game. Kutztown was humbled that night when our boys came home with the championship. For the first time in the history of Hamburg High, our Hawks won against Kutztown in a Northern Division Championship fray!

We lost a heartbreaker against Muhlenberg for the county championship. The score sheet read Muhlenberg 43—Hamburg 16.

Our boys were now eligible for the P.I.A.A. play-off games. The first was played against a strong Rothsville team but our boys came through with victory! The score was 33-32. "Rusty" Frantz was high scorer for the night with 11 points.

The next fray took place on the Lebanon High School hardwoods, against the Susquehanna Township Indians. The first quarter of this game ended in a 7-7 deadlock. Half-time found the Indians ahead 13-12. In the third period the teams were both limited to three points each. The score was 16-15. Frantz started the scoring again by sinking two field goals. "Chuck" Reed sank a goal and put Hamburg ahead 22-18 with 3½ minutes to play. Susquehanna responded with several points and when the final whistle blew, our Hawks had topped them 27-25.

The next contender for the championship was Manheim Township. Although we lost this tussle, our Hawks gave the Manheim team keen competition throughout the game.

The Hawks scored 710 points to their opponents 613. They played a total of twenty games.

Mr. Baver, the Coach; Robert Krick, the Student Manager; and the boys are to be commended for their very fine teamwork which brought glory to our school in the form of the Northern Division Championship.

Junior Varsity Basketball



Left to Right, First Row: Douglas Spacht, Charles Moyer, Myron Hartman, Charles Weirich, Robert Moyer, and Edwin Moyer. Second Row: Mr. Bayer, Coach; David Fink, Manager; Arlan Henne, Edmund Read, Douglas Romig, John Adams, Allen Shollenberger, and Mr. Transue, Faculty Advisor.

Coach Bayer's baby Hawks once again did well on the hardwoods this past season to finish second in Northern Division competition. The team was trimmed twice by the Baby Mules, but managed to stage a comeback by silencing the Baby Tigers of Fleetwood 22-18 and by clipping Oley with the supreme score of 40-16.

In a thriller with Kutztown, the Bayer bombs were defeated 19-18. The Amity Beavers lost a game to our quintet by the score of 28-16. Competition with Boyertown was keen, but our Hawks nosed them out of a fray and came home with the score 27-25. That is merely a brief resume of the games played but it is evidence that the Baby Hawks did fine.

The spivies played 16 games, winning six and losing four in league competition; winning nine and losing seven during the entire year. They lost two games to Muhlenberg, two to Kutztown, one each to Boyertown, Amity, and Wyomissing. Their opponents scored 333 points while they scored 353.

Highlights of the season were many. Allen Shollenberger clinched a sure victory for Hamburg in the game with Oley when he made three twin pointers in the last quarter of the fray.

Although most of the scoring was evenly divided, "Sonny" Weirich was high scorer for a majority of the games.

Managers David Fink and Robert Krick deserve much praise for the fine way in which they assisted the boys.

Next year some of these same young fellows will move up to fill vacancies on the Varsity squad. They are an asset to any team.

Baseball



Left to Right, First Row: Glenn Himmelberger, Richard Shade, Robert Muller, Robert Graeff, and Antonio Donatelli. Second Row: Mr. Bayer, Coach; Robert Moyer, Ralph Althouse, Robert Shearer, George Achenbach, John Adams, and Mr. Transue, Faculty Advisor. Third Row: George Frederick, Manager; John Seitzinger, Lee Herber, Kermit Frantz, Charles Stoudt, and Henry Berger.

For the first time in the history of Hamburg High, the boys have had the privilege of competing with other schools in baseball. There was a lot of material available for Coach Bayer who whipped the team up into a fine aggregation.

The "mighty nine" found their way around the baseball diamond with John Young alternating with Charles Stoudt on the pitcher's mound. Robert Muller starred from behind the catcher's cage. Robert Graeff, Ralph Althouse, and Kermit Frantz held base positions. The boys guarding outfield positions were Robert Shearer, left field; Glenn Himmelberger, center field, and Lee Herber, right field. George Achenbach was shortstop. The group of reliable substitutes was made up of John Seitzinger, Richard Shade, Antonio Donatelli, and John Adams.

Early in the season the Hawks trimmed Bernville 10-4 in a non-league tiff. A highlight of this game was a home run chalked up by "Cookie" Shearer, in the first inning. The "mighty nine" continued bringing home the bacon when they beat Kutztown 1-0 and Ontelaunee 7-6.

The PINNACLE had to go to press while the fate of the team was still hanging on hopes, so the final scoreboard reports cannot be given to you. However, if the Hawks continue piling up victories in their usual tradition, our school will again experience new glories achieved by our athletes.

Boys' Track



Left to Right, First Row: John Adams, Allen Shollenberger, Holton Confer, Kenneth Keiser, Lester Mengel, and Robert Heintzelman. Second Row: Clayton Wein, Gerold Schiebeler, Edwin Moyer, Robert Stine, and Robert Muller. Third Row: George Fink, Eugene Ortenzi, Robert Graeff, Kenneth Fryer, Neil Yeager, and Richard Yoder. Fourth Row: Mr. Bayer, Coach; Charles Moyer, Manager; George Frederick, Arlan Henne, Robert Gowans, John Adams, Kermit Frantz, Assistant Manager; Mr. Transue and Mr. Beha, Faculty Advisors.

We thought we were traveling through Ancient Greece when we glimpsed the Hamburg High lads going through their paces for the track meet. They did fine—carrying on in the typical Hawk tradition.

Meets this year included one at Albright on April 20 and a dual meet arranged with Kutztown High at Kutztown on April 24.

The fellows that tested their skill and ability for the school were many. Senior High cindermen on the relay teams were John Adams, Edwin Moyer, Robert Etchberger, Robert Gowans, David Fink, Clayton Wein, Harold Bohn, and Robert Stine. Fink and Wein also figured in the 220 dash. Half mile men were Robert Muller and Robert Etchberger, while Gerold Schiebeler ran the mile.

In the field for Senior High we had John Young for the broad jump. Neil Yeager and "Honey" Young were also in the high jump. Throwing the discus were George Frederick and George Achenbach. Arlan Henne and George Fink did the shot put work, and John Young sailed the javelin.

The Junior High trackmen and fieldmen were composed of Kenneth Fryer, Robert Graeff, Paulus Zimmerman, Richard Yoder, Robert Heintzelman, Kenneth Keiser, Allen Shollenberger, John Adams, Tony Donatelli, Lester Mengel, Richard Shade, Eugene Ortenzi, and Holton Confer. These lads participated in the 75 yard dash, relays, broad jump, high jump and shot put.

Cheerleaders



Left to Right, First Row: Betty Gliem, Beatrice Bashore, Ruth Moll, June Gingrich, Faye Klopp, Joyce Heinly, and Janet McElfatrick. Second Row: Betty Henne, Ann Wildermuth, Mary Jane Machemer, Nancy Byers, Mary Ellen Seidel, Mary Alice Heffner, Nancy Strausser, and Mrs. Adams, Faculty Advisor.

2 Bits, 4 Bits, 6 Bits a dollar

All for Hamburg stand up and
holler!

Clap your hands
Knock on wood
Stamp the floor
Come on Hamburg
Raise that score!

H-a-m-b-u-r-g
That's the way you spell it
Here's the way you yell it
Hamburg, Hamburg, Team! Team! Team!

"H-A-M-B-U-R-G. Come on, kids, let's show the team we're really behind them." Yes, that's right. It's the cheerleaders trying to coax some yells out of the crowd at a basketball game.

With a lot of hard work put into practicing and just as much hard work put into getting new uniforms, our cheerleaders showed up with blue skirts and bright red sweaters at every basketball game.

The Senior Cheerleaders were June Gingrich, Joyce Heinly, Faye Klopp, Janet McElfatrick, Beatrice Bashore, Betty Gliem, and Ruth Moll.

Nancy Byers, Mary Alice Heffner, Betty Henne, Ann Wildermuth, Nancy Strausser, Mary Ellen Seidel and Mary Jane Machemer composed the junior group.

Girls' Sports



GIRLS' INTRAMURAL ASSOCIATION

Left to Right: First Row: Helen Reber, Helen Nies, Betty Wink, Anna Balthaser, Betty Gliem, and Betty Henne. Second Row: Joan Trump, June Gingrich, Joan Wagner, Sara Keller, Doris Dunkelberger, Ruby Wertz, Nancy Gliem, Nancy Strausser, Ruth Balthaser, Emily Lou Cleaver, and Mrs. Adams, Faculty Advisor.

The Girls' Intramural Association was introduced to the school in 1931 to govern girls' sports activities. At the beginning of every school term one girl from every homeroom is chosen to represent her classmates in selecting the type of games to be played. This board also settles sports problems that may arise.

In order to create greater interest in intramural sports, the girls are given awards after earning a certain number of points gained through individual participation.

In fall the seniors engaged in hockey while the juniors found many of their noon hours taken up by hit-pin baseball.

The long, cold, wintry days found all of the activities taking place indoors. This is the time when the girls frolic gleefully over tumbling; or put their hearts into an exciting game of basketball, tennequoit, volleyball, or newcomb.

The most popular of these sports was basketball. Early in the season coach Adams put the varsity team, the Hawkettes, through a thorough training period before sending them out against the tough competition of the Perry, Oley, and Robeson teams. Katherine Miller and Helen Nies were high scorers with 60 points and 58 points respectively.

Softball was the favorite Spring sport at Hamburg High. Every class was represented by sluggers racing around the bases.

The Annual Shillington Track Meet found Hamburg well represented.



GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Left to Right, First Row: Mary Jane Machmer, Betty Gliem, Lenore Schiebler, Selena Beltz, June Gingrich, Dorothy Gingrich, and Ruth Moll. Second Row: Betty Wink, Esther Schaeffer, Helen Nies, Marion Lindenmuth, Nancy Gliem, Corrine Berger, Maurine Smith, and Mrs. Adams, Faculty Advisor.

The track and field events in which our girls participated were the 50 and 100 yard dash, relays, broad-jumping, and high jumping.



GIRLS' TRACK

Left to Right, First Row: Lucille Hix, Anna Neuin, June Gingrich, Esther Schaeffer, and Maurine Smith. Second Row: Martha Bujanich, Anna Balthaser, Dorothy Gingrich, and Janet McElfatrick. Third Row: Selena Beltz, Marion Lindenmuth, and Ruby Wertz.

Athletic Association



Left to Right: William Seidel, Selena Beltz, Robert Shearer, and Robert Muller. Standing: Mr. Transue, Faculty Advisor.

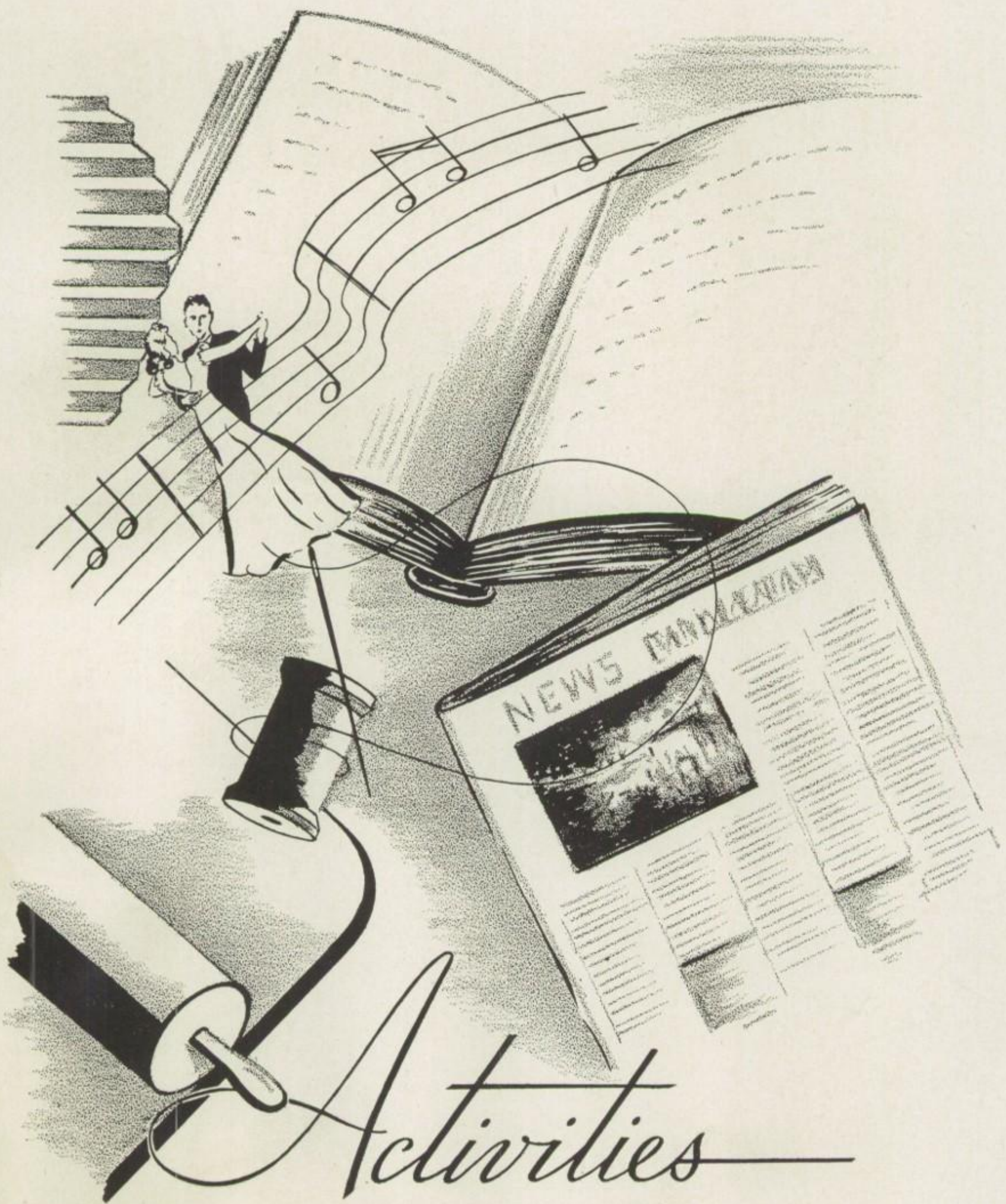
Since its formation in 1906, the Athletic Association has taken an active part in the athletic curriculum of Hamburg High School.

This organization, of which all senior high school students are members, belongs to the Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association and the Berks County Interscholastic Athletic Association.

The executive committee consists of Mr. Land, Mr. Baver, and Mr. Transue. The officers of the 1945-46 term of office, as elected by the student body were Robert Rollman, President; William Seidel, Vice-president; Selena Beltz, Secretary; Robert Shearer, Treasurer; and Robert Muller, Assistant Treasurer. The latter, however, resigned from office during the term.

Details arising from games and meets, such as the sale and collection of tickets, supervision and ushering, were handled by the officers and faculty advisors of this organization.

The officers for the 1946-47 term are Robert Gowans, President; Robert Muller, Vice-president; Lenore Schiebler, Secretary; Charles Reed, Treasurer; and Ray Schaeffer, Assistant Treasurer.



Pinnacle



Left to Right, First Row: Betty Hepler, Corrine Berger, Margaret Bayer, John Rightmyer, Mary Jane Steely, and Anna Balthaser. Second Row: Miss Bartholomew, Faculty Advisor; Grace Smith, Robert Berger, Lee Herber, Myron Hartman, and Doris Anthony.

One can thoughtfully say—"We enjoy life by the help and society of others." The Yearbook of the Class of 1946 is presented as a record of the good fellowship existing between the members of the Class of 1946. This is a record of friendship invaluable to us as individuals, for this is the stage of our career which has been mostly formed by those around us. These associations will influence our future lives much more than we can realize at the present time.

The purpose of this book is twofold. First, we wish to show those who have gone before us that we are keeping their trust, giving our best, and accepting the better things of life with grateful thanks. It is also a light for those who follow us, reminding them that we expect and know that they will do their best to uphold and better the traditions we have so faithfully upheld.

Second, this is to be a memorandum for all of us who have played the roles in the drama of school life herein depicted.

We hope that it will serve to keep us in touch with our fellow classmates as we travel our life's journey.

Highlights



Left to Right, First Row: Myron Hartman, Mary Jane Steely, Dolores Henne, Charlotte Huntsberger, Margaret Bailey, Selena Beltz, Margaret Bayer, and Gerold Schiebler. Second Row: Miss Kline, Faculty Advisor; Dorothy Gingrich, Ruth Moll, Esther Ketner, Pauline Kress, Patricia Shollenberger, Elsie Ferri, Dolores Fink, Grace Smith, and Mrs. Hein, Faculty Advisor. Third Row: Eugene Rightmyer, Betty Gliem, Mary Nies, David Dinkel, Edwin Moyer, Eva Stein, Doris Mengle, Esther Hafer, and Mark Piacine.

Did someone say High Lights is out? Quite true in many respects, for the messenger from down-the-Item way totes several hundred copies of this herald of history and future high lights to school every Wednesday. For the fourth year in succession, the pupils of Hamburg High have subscribed 100% to the school newspaper.

Never let it be said that High Lights came late! Despite the occasional tardiness of writeup assignments, the news was edited, typed, re-edited, "tagged"—or headlined, printed, proof-read, and set up in dummy form before the dead-line. Such a brief resume of the staff's operations is only a bird's eye view of what goes on behind the headlines.

The Page Two artistic pieces were the result of the efforts of Eugene Rightmyer, a junior, and Mary Nies, a freshman. The organized feature staff took much of the burden off the editors' backs more capably than any other heretofore. From the business and sports angle there appear numerous figures worthy of commendation for their efficiency in operation.

The guidance and assistance of Mrs. Hein and Miss Kline were appreciated by the school and staff.

Student Council



Left to Right, First Row: Ann Wildermuth, Betty Wink, Patricia Kunkleman, Grace Smith, Doris Anthony, Anna Balthaser, and Joan Trump. Second Row: Mr. Land, Faculty Advisor; Robert Muller, Doris Manbeck, Martha Bugarich, Mary Nies, Jean Batdorf, Mark Piacine, and Miss Mercurio, Faculty Advisor. Third Row: Ray Schaeffer, Gerold Schiebler, John Young, Lee Herber, Clarence Burkey, and William Schwartz.

The main student governing body of the school is the Student Council. Its chief purpose is to maintain law and order among the students of the school. Accordingly, as this group sees fit, bills are added, repealed, or corrected in the constitution. Then, too, these laws must be enacted, and each member is responsible to report cases of violation of the law.

One is elected into this governing body by his fellow classmates. The following are included in the Council: A representative from each homeroom, one member at large from the Junior Class, two members at large from the Senior Class, President of Athletic Association, President of Literary Society, President of Junior Class, and President of Senior Class.

During the course of the year, this organization made several changes to the constitution. The Student Safety Patrol Bill was repealed because it was deemed unnecessary, and regulations for cheerleading equipment were added to the constitution.

Other duties of the council carried over from previous years consisted of electing cheerleaders and keeping the figures on our Service Flag up to date.

The St. Patrick's Dance, which was open to the whole school, attracted many of the students and proved to be a success.

This year the Student Council was an active governing board, which will continue in due time to extend its authority and governing power beyond its present extremities.

National Honor Society



Front Row, Left to Right: Margaret Bayer, Ruth Moll, Eugene Rightmyer, Donald Anthony, and Corrine Berger. Second Row: John Rightmyer, Sarah Davenport, Mr. Land, Faculty Advisor; Patricia Shollenberger, and Gerold Schiebler.

The National Honor Society celebrated its tenth anniversary this year. Since 1936, ninety-four members were selected by the faculty council now composed of Mr. Land, Mr. Weber, Mr. Wagner, Mrs. Sinclair, and Miss Mercurio. The basis for election to membership is excellence in the qualities set forth by the Society's Constitution—Service, Leadership, Character, and Scholarship.

The officers are elected each semester. This year's officers were: 1st semester—President, John Rightmyer; Vice-President, Gerold Schiebler; Secretary, Corrine Berger; and Treasurer, Margaret Bayer. 2nd semester—President, Eugene Rightmyer; Vice-President, Donald Anthony; Secretary, Sarah Davenport; and Treasurer, Ruth Moll.

Previously it has been the policy of the Honor Society to attend meetings and not indulge in extra social activities. For the past two years, however, this precedent has been broken and the social calendar has been punctuated by Honor Society get-togethers. One evening was enjoyed by the members when they brought their parents to a party. This helped to further a spirit of friendliness.

One bright Sunday the boys and girls donned their hiking togs and embarked for White Rock. They were accompanied by veteran-hiker, Mr. Weber.

The Society endeavored to promote leadership by giving a trophy to the best student-managed organization in school.

Literary Society



Left to Right, Sitting: Corrine Berger, Dolores Henne, Clarence Burkey, and George Frederick. Standing: Mrs. Sinclair, Faculty Advisor.

Hamburg High School's Literary Society, which consists of all the members of the Senior high school, is one of the oldest organizations in the school, dating way back to 1891. Since that time it has been the custom of the Society to hold monthly meetings in which the members of the school present programs and reveal their many musical and oratorical talents.

This year's programs featured a series of debates among the Seniors, Juniors, Sophomores, and Freshmen. Topics debated upon included government ownership of public utilities and lowering of the voting age to eighteen.

Musical talent was present in every program. There was the sweet trumpet of Henry Huntzinger, while Donald Anthony, Patricia Shollenberger, and Corrine Berger beat it out on the ivories. There were contributions from teachers also. A piano duet by Mrs. Sinclair and Miss Newcomer brought great applause from the audience. Mr. Schwarz, Gerold Schiebler, and Phyllis Kistler, known as "The Fiddlers Three," were received with enthusiasm. Kenneth Keiser displayed his skill on the marimba.

The highlight of the November program was a pageant entitled "Striking a Balance." The principal participants were Gerold Schiebler and Sarah Davenport.

An added attraction to the Literary meetings was the quiz. January featured a very interesting literary quiz with the answers to the questions being either the title of a book or an author. The Master of Ceremonies was none other than Mr. Wagner. March brought forth a musical quiz directed by Eugene Rightmyer. The Board of Experts—Selena Beltz, Robert Berger, Anna Bubbenmoyer, Charles Reed, Jane Achenbach, Henry Berger,

John Berry, and Kenneth Keiser displayed their musical minds by answering questions that ran from Bach to Boogie-Woogie.

Other highlights were presented to the school. Phyllis Kistler and Dorothy Cope presented book reviews. Hobby talks were given by Paul Adams and Betty Gliem. Paul discussed interesting stones while Betty brought the foreign lands to us with her discussion on stamp collecting.

Ever ready to please and entertain were the Girls' Ensemble and the Boys' Double Quartet.

Christmas brought Santa Claus with gifts for the seniors. The Mixed Chorus was also featured in this program.

April was the annual Declamation Contest meeting. Contestants were chosen by elimination contests in the English classes.

The Debating Club, sponsored by the Society and consisting of Ruth Moll, Eugene Rightmyer, Marilyn Smith, Betty Wink, John Young, and Robert Etchberger, represented the school in the Interscholastic panel discussions. Students from K.H.S. and W.H.S. were our guests. The discussion for the day revolved about the topic of compulsory military training.

The Society also sponsored a series of Lyceum programs throughout the year. These varied greatly. All the entertainers were artists in their field and were enjoyed immensely by the school. Musical groups, such as the Bently Trio, and lecturers such as Judge Bale, were outstanding in this year's programs.

The success of the Literary Programs this past year can be credited not only to the officers—Clarence Burkey, president; George Frederick, vice-president; Dolores Henne, secretary; Corrine Berger, treasurer; and Mrs. Sinclair, faculty advisor—but also to the splendid cooperation of the student body.



DEBATE CLUB

Left to Right, Front Row: Betty Wink, John Young, Marilyn Smith, and Ruth Moll. Second Row: Robert Etchberger, Mr. Ebling, Faculty Advisor; and Eugene Rightmyer.

Tri-Hi-Y Organizations



TRI-HI-Y CABINET

Left to Right, First Row: Anna Balthaser, Elizabeth Kemp, Betty Hepler, Grace Smith, Helen Nies, Marilyn Smith, and Patricia Shollenberger. Second Row: Mrs. Adams, Faculty Advisor; June Gingrich, Dolores Henne, Doris Anthony, Elsie Ferri, and Miss Smith, Faculty Advisor.

The Tri-Hi-Y, the companion organization of the Hi-Y, was organized to create, maintain and extend, throughout the school and community, high standards of Christian character, and to develop its members in spirit, mind, and body.

The senior high school organization for girls was led by President, Dolores Henne; Vice-President, Anna Balthaser; Recording Secretary, Betty Hepler; Corresponding Secretary, Helen Nies; and Treasurer, Grace Smith.

It's efficient advisors were Mrs. Adams and Miss Smith.

Some of the services performed by the members of the club during the year were selling and buying defense stamps, buying gifts for servicemen in hospitals, attending church services in a group with the Hi-Y, contributing to the Colored People's Project, and sponsoring and supporting the March of Dimes.

The gay, colorful, annual Semi-formal, with Whitey Meiskey's Orchestra furnishing the music, was an event to be remembered by all those who attended.

The Junior Tri-Hi-Y Club, the sister club of the Tri-Hi-Y, was also a very active group. They conducted food sales and helped sponsor and support the March of Dimes. Their Christmas Party was enjoyed by all.

The officers who served this club were President, Jean Smith; Vice-President, Esther Hafer; Secretary, Dorothy Cope; and Treasurer, Betty Henne. Miss Edel served as its faculty advisor.



SENIOR TRI-HI-Y

Left to Right, First Row: Miss Smith, Faculty Advisor; Emily Boltz, Marilyn Smith, Myrle Ketner, Sarah Davenport, Dolores Henne, Esther Ketner, Pauline Kress, Doris Manbeck, Phyllis Kistler, Elsie Ferri, Dolores Fink, Shirley Sterner, Marian Keener, Betty Girard, Doris Anthony, Mrs. Adams, Faculty Advisor; and Selena Beltz. Second Row: Grace Smith, Dollie Reppert, Patricia Shollenberger, Jean Dipper, Eva Stein, Marguerite Himmelberger, Corrine Berger, Betty Bowers, Ruth Ketner, Ruby Wertz, Dolores Heckman, Martha Buganich, Louise Baver, Mary Jane Machmer, Janet McElfatrick, Betty Jane Pascoe, Joyce Heinly, and Anna Neuin. Third Row: Emily Lou Cleaver, Dolores Kudleck, Katherine Miller, Ruth Moll, Geraldine Heckman, Marion Becker, Ella Wessner, Doris Shollenberger, Ruth Roberts, Betty Hepler, Betty Kemp, Anna Wessner, Helen Nies, Phyllis Yerger, Ruth Zimmerman, Maxine Rubin, Lalene Zweizig, Lenore Schiebler, Anna Bubbenmoyer, Anna Krommes, Jeannine Strausser, and Elizabeth Kershner. Fourth Row: Elsie Rentschler, Jean Batdorf, Phyllis Mohan, Georgia Correll, June Gingrich, Beatrice Bashore, Dorothy Gingrich, Barbara Wagner, Theresa Cleaver, Lucille Hix, Nancy Gliem, Betty Gliem, Jean Henry, Sara Keller, Ruth Stoudt, Anna Balthaser, Ruth Kunkel, and Doris Mengle.



JUNIOR TRI-HI-Y

Left to Right, First Row: Mary Alice Heffner, Lorraine Reber, Mary Nies, Joanne Dietrich, Dorothy Cope, Jean Moyer, and Nancy Byers. Second Row: Esther Hafer, Alean Kress, Jean Smith, Jean Burns, Sylvia Dalious, Ann Wildermuth, Mary Boltz, and Miss Edel, Faculty Advisor. Third Row: Janet Breininger, Betty Henne, Betty Kleinsmith, Nancy Strausser, Ruth Deubel, Doris Bossler, and Patricia Kunkleman.

Musical Organizations

Orchestra

No, that isn't the Philadelphia Philharmonic tuning up! It's our own collection of musical virtuosos under the able direction of Mr. Schwarz.

These lads and lasses did not have too much of an opportunity to perform under the eyes of the critical public this past school term because of the absence of the director. However, we were fortunate enough to have Mr. Schwarz back again with us, and once more the halls of Hamburg High began to echo and reecho to the strains of melody.

We predict that the orchestra will do a fine job at the graduation exercises and their efforts and talents will long be remembered.

Mixed Chorus

In the beginning of the school term our music department was headed by a new teacher, Miss Newcomer, who organized the chorus and helped it prepare the selections for their part in the annual Christmas program. This was the first and only performance under her direction.

The first week of January saw the return of Mr. Schwarz our former music director. He capably took over the management of the chorus and once again the halls of Hamburg High School echoed and reechoed to the sounds of familiar tunes.



ORCHESTRA

Left to Right, First Row: Gerold Schiebler, Phyllis Kistler, Betty Gliem, Nancy Gliem, Edwin Moyer, Donald Anthony, and Clarence Burkey. Second Row: Dolores Henne, Jutta Deubel, George Fink, Douglas Spacht, Henry Huntzinger, Lester Mengel, and Mr. Schwarz, Faculty Advisor.



MIXED CHORUS

Left to Right, First Row: Faye Klopp, June Gingrich, Dolores Henne, Esther Ketner, Pauline Kress, Doris Manbeck, Dorothy Cope, Ruth Kauffman, Mary Moyer, Jean Moyer, Kathleen Lof, Marian Keener, Betty Girard, and Phyllis Kistler. Second Row: Eva Stein, Marguerite Himmelberger, Corrine Berger, Betty Bowers, Barbara Serff, Ruth Ketner, Ruby Wertz, Dolores Heckman, Martha Baganich, Louise Bayer, Faye Ney, Betty Wink, and Fredericka Stout. Third Row: Miss Newcomer, former Faculty Advisor; George Fink, Paul Schaeffer, Ella Wessner, Doris Schollenberger, Ruth Roberts, Betty Hepler, Betty Kemp, Virginia Schaeffer, Anna Wessner, Janet McElfatrick, Anna Bubbenmoyer, Lorraine Reber, Doris Anthony, Clarence Burkey and David Fink. Fourth Row: Donald Anthony, Lucille Faust, Esther Hafer, Jean Smith, Mary Jane Machmer, Beatrice Bashore, Dorothy Gingrich, Barbara Wagner, Mary Seyfert, Theresa Cleaver, Dolores Smith, Mildred Berk, Betty Koch, Kathryn Drumheller, Lucille Hix, and Eugene Rightmyer.

Girls' Ensemble

As a part of the Tri-Hi-Y program, the Girls' Ensemble was again organized, retaining its previous members and gaining several new ones to fill the vacancies left by seniors.

The Ensemble sang at Literary Society programs and at the combined church service of Hi-Y-Tri-Hi-Y at the Reformed Church. Numbers rendered by this group included religious, patriotic, and popular songs.

Boys' Double Quartet

Many high school features were vocally enlivened by the Boys' Double Quartet. All of those chosen to sing in the Double Quartet were members of the Hi-Y.

They sang for the Tri-Hi-Y and Hi-Y program at the Reformed Church, for the Hi-Y assembly program, and for Literary Society programs.

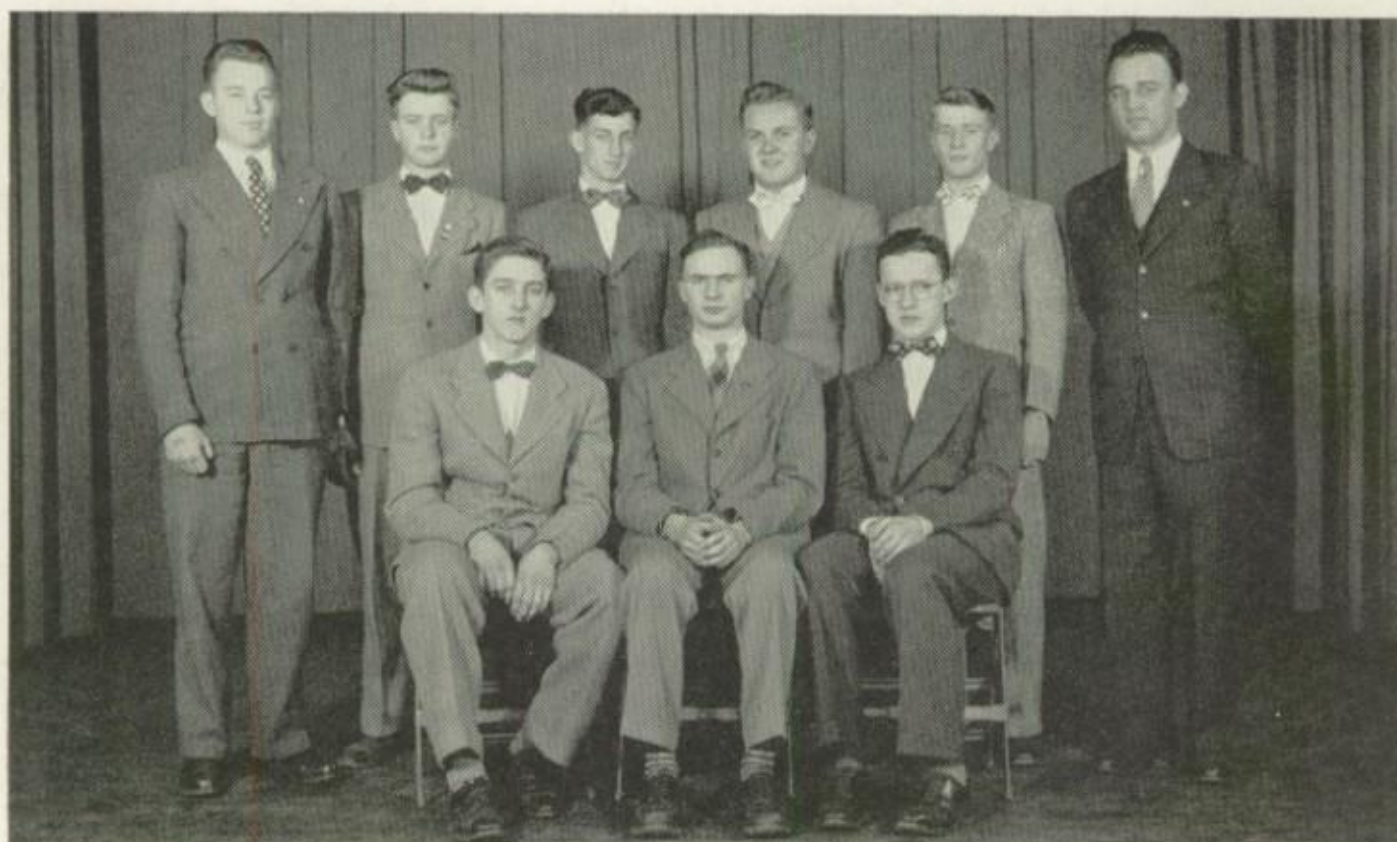
The boys in the organization were Paul Schaeffer and Clarence Burkey, first tenors; George Fink and Jack Reed, second tenors; Ralph Althouse and Donald Anthony, baritones; and David Fink and Robert Rollman, basses.

Dolores Henne served as accompanist for this group.



GIRLS' ENSEMBLE

Left to Right, First Row: Dolores Henne, Grace Smith, Nancy Gliem, Betty Hepler, Esther Ketner, Marilyn Smith, and Phyllis Kistler. Second Row: Mr. Schwarz, Faculty Advisor; Betty Gliem, Patricia Shollenberger, Sarah Davenport, Corrine Berger, Selena Beltz, Dolores Heckman, and Marguerite Himmelberger. Third Row: Pauline Kress, Doris Anthony, Mary Jane Machmer, Anna Bubbenmoyer, Dolores Fink, Elsie Ferri, and June Gingrich.



BOYS' DOUBLE QUARTET

Left to Right, First Row: Ralph Althouse, Edwin Moyer, and Donald Anthony. Second Row: Clarence Burkey, Paul Schaeffer, Charles Reed, George Fink, David Fink, and Mr. Schwarz, Faculty Advisor.

Home Economics Club



Left to Right, First Row: Martha Baganich, Beatrice Bashore, Dorothy Gingrich, Phyllis Mohan, Ruth Ketner, Betty Jane Pascoe, Marguerite Himmelberger, Marian Lindenmuth, and Jean Dipper. Second Row: Esther Schaeffer, Betty Gruber, Ruby Wertz, Marian Becker, Ruth Roberts, Dolores Heckman, Janet McElfatrick, Doris Schollenberger, Ruth Zimmerman, June Gingrich, and Miss Smith, Faculty Advisor. Third Row: Pauline Kress, Anna Krommes, Faye Klopp, Doris Rentschler, Doris Manbeck, Myrle Ketner, Emily Boltz, Ruth Kunkel, Jane Achenbach, and Barbara Wagner.

The Home Economics Club was organized for the purpose of giving instruction in home-making and etiquette.

This past term the club undertook the grave responsibility of sponsoring the Junior Red Cross Membership Drive. Collections were made in all homerooms to aid those persons who were in dire need and to help provide our hospitalized veterans with needed equipment.

This organization also joined the National Modern Miss Club.

The members elected the following officers for the year: President, Ruth Ketner; Vice-President, Dorothy Gingrich; Secretary, Phyllis Mohan; Treasurer, Betty Jane Pascoe. Miss Lucille Smith was the faculty advisor.

There were a number of activities indulged in by the lassies this past year. They made merry at a Christmas Party. A variety of good food was in evidence at a covered dish social that was enjoyed by all. Hearts were exchanged at a Valentine Party. Everyone stuffed themselves at a doggie roast. But, the highlight of the social season was a hayride in April on which everyone had a hilarious time.

A word to the wise! Any fellow that marries one of these embryo housewives is assured of delicious foods!

Library Club



Left to Right, First Row: Charlotte Huntsberger, Katherine Miller, Ruth Moll, Edwin Moyer, Robert Gowans, John Young, Doris Mengle, Ruby Wertz, and Helen Nies. Second Row: Mrs. Rhoads, Faculty Advisor; Roy Read, Robert Rollman, Dorothy Gingrich, Corrine Berger, Marilyn Smith, Betty Gliem, Nancy Gliem, Mary Jane Machmer, Donald Anthony, Betty Jane Pascoe, and Eugene Rightmyer.

This year the librarians have been busier than ever before, binding books and working away at desk duties in order to earn their pins and keys. The library was unusually well managed by the students who were elected into the club.

But then the members haven't completely devoted their time to these vocations. They pulled their noses out of their books long enough to enjoy two special social functions.

One moon-lit night in October they attired themselves in blue-jeans, kerchiefs, and plaid shirts and travelled to Strausstown for a long hayride which took them over hill and dale. The sweet chirpings of crickets were enlivened by the sounds of singing and merrymaking.

Christmas week found them enjoying a yule party which was the height of their social season.

A new project undertaken by the club this year was that of selling candy at noon to out-of-town students.

If you want to be in the know, don't miss the Library Club next year!

Hi-Y



Left to Right, First Row: Robert Rollman, Ralph Althouse, Paul Schaeffer, John Adams, Robert Shearer, Henry Huntzinger, John Young, Donald Anthony, and Howard Altenderfer. Second Row: Mr. Fortney, Faculty Advisor; David Dinkel, Arlan Henne, Harland Hess, William Seidel, Robert Gowans, Edwin Moyer, Clarence Burkey, Garland Bear, and Mr. Wagner, Faculty Advisor. Third Row: Glenn Himmelberger, Roy Read, Marvin Shollenberger, George Fink, Gerald Cartwright, John Rightmyer, David Fink, Charles Reed, and Eugene Rightmyer.

This organization, another smaller "Y" group, is composed of the male high school students only. This year's officers were: President, Robert Shearer; Vice-President, Charles Reed; Secretary, Henry Huntzinger; and Treasurer, Paul Schaeffer. Under the leadership of the Y.M.C.A., it's purpose is "To create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian Character." The club's faculty advisors this year were: Mr. Wagner, Mr. Fortney, and Mr. Beha.

Once again an activity of the club was the sponsorship of the Clean Speech campaign. The boys put this campaign across by having an assembly program on December 3 which illustrated the need of such a desirable trait as clean speech. This campaign is run in co-ordination with the club standards—clean speech, clean sports, clean habits, and clean scholarship.

Autographs

Love, Elsie Rentschler "Pussy" '47

Just a nut - Bucky "47"

A pal (I hope) - Marion Althouse '47

Love - Lots of Luck - Shpank '47

A friend Maurine (Smitty) Smith - '47

Best Wishes from a pal - Phyllis (Gudd) Jergen '47

Best Wishes - Emily Sonon - '47

Best of Luck - George C. Kershner Jr. '47

Best Wishes - Charles Turner "47"

Best of Luck - George C. Moyer "47"

Best Wishes - Samuel Shappell "47"

Best Wishes - Mabel Kershner "47"

A Pal - Effie Kershner "47"

Love - & Best Wishes "Brownie" Mangel "47"

To a Swell Kid - To A-Swell-Girl - Faye Kloppe "47"

Best Wishes - Geo. Achenbach "47"

Best of Luck - Myrtle Ketner "Kitty" "47"

Don't have anything to say as usual???? - "June" "47"

"Best of Good Luck" - Betty Gruber "47"

"Lots of Luck" - Ruth Ketner - "Ketty" "47"

Loads of Luck

Printed and Serviced by
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Blanche Berger "47"

The Best To You Always - '47

Mrs. Anna Berger

"Lots of Luck In Future Years" - "Gorgeous" "47"

"May good success be yours always" "Billy" "47"

Robert the "Rock" Muller "47"

Best Wishes to a swell classmate T & R "47"

To a Merry Life - "Gass"

Always remember H.H.S "47" and mop belly

A Pal

Eva

"47"

Smooth Sailing. Paul "Shaffer" Schaeffer "47"

"Good Luck" David C. Fink "47" Ruth

Lots of Luck - John S. Young "47" President

"Mark Seaman "47"

"Bob Howans "47"

"Bob C. Schuberger" "47" "A friend"

Marion
Becker.
"47"

"JOHN SEITZINGER "47"

Sarah Epling "47"

Luella Berger "47"

Jean Batdorf "47"

Anna Buhnmoyer "47"

Mildred
Hartman

Lots of Success - Ralph P. Ernst

Lots of Luck - Joyce Heintz "47"

Ken Sunny Miller "47"

Dois Rentschler "47"

Marjorie Rubin "47"

Betty Jane Stink "47"

"Hermit" Rusty Frantz "47"

Beatrice "Beaty" Feick Donald "Studios" Anthony "47"

Edwin "Jake" Moyer, Jr. "47"

John "Addy" Adams "47"

Lots of Luck

Betty Howard "48"

"Emile"

Betty Jane Seaver "47"

"B, phie" Stenke "47"

"Pickle" Yoder '47"

Ruth Zimmerman "47"

"I know Esther Kötner" Salome Hudlek '47"

Mae Rhoads '47

Good Luck - Ella Hesser "47"

Good Luck Salome Zwizig "47"

Best Wishes "Doris" Jakie "Mump" '47"

Loads of Luck - Helen Hies '47

Future Happiness - Lenore Schiebler '47

The Best to you - Fuyge Hall '47

Much happiness - "Smitty" (Marilyn Smith) '47

"Good Luck to a swell girl" - Margaret Bailey '47"

Love & best wishes Anna Krommes "Shorty" '47"

Earl Adam "47"